

George Muir Missed By Many, Was Link With Historic Past

ARTIST AND PRINTER DIES FOLLOWING MAIN ST. MOTOR
ACCIDENT, WAS 80 YEARS, SON
OF ALEXANDER MUIR

GIVEN MASONIC FUNERAL AT AURORA

Seriously injured by a car which carried him from the street
up on the sidewalk and crushed him against the Bank of Montreal
building on Main St. on Friday evening at 9.30 p.m., George Muir
died the following morning shortly before 7 o'clock at York County
Hospital.



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The car was driven by Miss Irene Armstrong, who had a beginner's license and was said to be taking a final lesson before having her driving test the following day. She was accompanied by her father.

An eye-witness told The Era that Mr. Muir had started across Timothy St. at the east side of Main St. and that when about two feet from the north side he turned to see if there were any cars coming. He apparently saw the car coming toward him and decided that it was better to go on toward the south side of Timothy St.

He moved smartly, according to the eye-witness, and would have got across all right, as the car was going at only about ten miles an hour, but the car did not make the turn but continued toward the south side of Timothy St. and knocked Mr. Muir down when he was about six feet from the south side. He tried to get up, the witness said, but the car continued forward and carried him up on the sidewalk and pinned him against the bank.

A grandson of Mr. Muir, Dan Teasdale, was across the street and saw the accident but did not know until afterward that it was his grandfather who was struck.

Constable Kenneth Mount and Dr. J. G. Cock were summoned to the accident. Mr. Muir was removed to the hospital. No inquest will be held. A charge of dangerous driving has been laid, on instructions from the attorney-general's department.

Mr. Muir had finished putting in coal for the winter at his Main St. building, south of The Era office, the afternoon of the accident, and had left the basement door open. He went down in the evening to lock up the basement and then went on down Main St. for a walk before going home.

Surviving Relatives

Surviving members of his family are: three daughters, Mrs. Wm. Howarth, Toronto; and Mrs. J. R. Teasdale and Mrs. H. E. Gilroy, Newmarket; and the following grandchildren, Mrs. H. K. McKnight (Jean Howarth), Toronto; Robert Muir Howarth, Oakville; Mary and Connie Howarth, Toronto; Alexander Muir Teasdale, Malton; Daniel H. Teasdale, Jack Teasdale and Margaret Teasdale, Newmarket; Billie and Barbara Gilroy, Newmarket. Another daughter, Vera, died in childhood. A brother, James, Toronto, also survives.

Funeral Held Monday

Rev. Dr. R. J. D. Simpson, former pastor of Trinity church, conducted a funeral service in the chapel of Roadhouse & Rose on Monday afternoon. Members of the Masonic lodge conducted a service at the Aurora cemetery, where he was interred beside his wife, who died in 1924.

"I knew him intimately in the years gone by," said Dr. Simpson. "I knew a man who had a great love for his home, who was interested in all the best things, literature and art, who saw beauty, who served faithfully and did his duty."

"While we deplore his tragic passing, let us remember that his life has not come to an end but to a greater culmination in the life hereafter. I join with you in paying tribute to a quiet, unostentatious, faithful servant of the Great Master."

Pallbearers were the following: John G. McDonald, Aurora; Harry Helmer, Bert Hughes, J. O. Little, Herbert Whyte, and John Kyte.

Born in Scarborough

John George Muir was born at the intersection of the Kennedy Rd. and the Danforth, then about five miles from the city of Toronto, on Jan. 30, 1859, when his father, Alexander Muir, was teaching in Scarborough township.

The Era, with which he was associated during most of his life, was only seven years older than Mr. Muir.

His father wrote "The Maple Leaf Forever" in 1866 while he was teaching at Leslieville school in York township. Alexander Muir brought his family to Newmarket at the end of 1872, and taught at the "common school" on Prospect St., where Alexander Muir school is now located. George Muir attended this school, just as he had attended his father's school at Leslieville and at central school (afterwards Jesse Ketchum school) in Yorkville.

"The Maple Leaf Forever" was first publicly sung on the occasion of the laying of the cornerstone of the Christian-Congregational church, Newmarket, by the Earl of Dufferin in 1874.

George Muir's father taught in Newmarket common school from January, 1873, to December, 1874, and subsequently became village clerk.

During the winter of 1874-5 Alexander Muir campaigned for Erasmus Jackson, publisher of The Era, as an independent Reform candidate for the legislative assembly against Dr. Widdifield, official Reform candidate. Alexander Muir stayed with Jackson out of loyalty to him and because he believed that as a much older man in the public service and in his party he was entitled to the nomination. Dr. Widdifield won.

It was as an aftermath of this feud in the Reform party and the campaign between Widdifield and Jackson that Alexander Muir left the village of Newmarket.

Erasmus Jackson eventually made peace with his party, but Alexander Muir's son, George, became a Conservative at this time and remained a Conservative all his life, as a result, he used (Page 8, Col. 4)

DOESN'T SHOP HERE, REASONS ARE "OBVIOUS"

BUSINESS EXECUTIVE SAYS
NEWMARKET WIDELY
NOTORIOUS

FINED FOR SPEEDING

The Era has received from the writer a copy of the following letter for publication. It is addressed to A. M. Mills, police court clerk.

Dear Sir: This morning I received a summons charging me with going 45 miles per hour west on Eagle St. in your town at 8.04 a.m., D. S. T., (eight days after the alleged act).

I have a comparatively new Packard car and ostensibly could pay a fine, but I definitely and positively did not do what the summons states. I drive through Newmarket several times each week and because of the widely known opprobrium for which the police activity at Newmarket is noted, I am always exceedingly careful to keep within limits when driving through your town.

In common with many others whom I know, I do not stop at Newmarket to do my shopping for obvious reasons. I quite recognize that you have the upper hand and can impose a fine, because you know very well that my time is entirely too valuable to go to Newmarket to defend the action and even if I did so there is every likelihood that I would be fined in any event.

This letter is not written in anger but I am appreciably disturbed because of the positive unfairness of the accusation.

There is a rubber stamp imprint on the side of the summons stating that settlement may be arranged at 51 Main St., Newmarket. I presume it is possible to make the arrangement by correspondence. Will you please advise me the minimum amount I am obliged to pay (if any, in view of this explanation) to clear your records?

I have been constantly driving both in Canada and the United States since 1913 and it is many, many years since I have received a summons for any infringement of traffic acts.

Please use the enclosed stamped envelope addressed to my office so that I may receive your answer promptly.

Yours truly,
H. A. Scott,
Vice-President,
Canadian Toledo Scale Co., Ltd.
Aug. 22, 1939

Copies to Hon. Mitchell F. Hepburn, Hon. T. B. McQuesten, Wm. P. Mulock, Esq., K.C., Jenner & Brunt, barristers, Globe & Mail, Toronto Daily Star, Toronto Telegram, Express-Herald, Newmarket, The Era, Newmarket.

MAMMOTH FLOWER SHOW IS ON SATURDAY

Gladioli of many shades and markings, as well as asters, dahlias, petunias, zinnias, marigolds and many other flowers will be on display at the Newmarket Horticultural Society's major show of the season in the United church school-room on Saturday afternoon and evening.

Officers of the society are James Gibney, president, Archie Muir, 1st vice-pres., W. M. Cockburn, 2nd vice-pres., and Norman Williams, secretary-treasurer. There will be a free draw at 9.30 p.m. for a collection of high-class gladioli bulbs donated by members of the society. All who visit the show are invited to leave their names for the draw.

PAY RESPECTS

J. S. Flumerfelt, once a printer-apprentice in The Era office and a brother-in-law of the late L. G. Jackson, now of Bronte, his son, A. O. Flumerfelt, his daughter, Mrs. A. E. Pickard, and Mrs. Pickard's son and his wife, were in Newmarket on Monday to pay their last respects to the late George Muir.

BLIND ORGANIST IS GUEST

The blind Toronto organist, pianist and composer, Thos. Mitchell, will be the guest organist at the King Anglican church on Sunday.

ANKLE SPRAINED

While attending the Free Methodist conference here, Bruce Reid of Kingston sprained his ankle on Friday. He was attended by Dr. L. W. Dales.

MARKS 92ND BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Sarah Ann Woolven, Glenville, celebrated her 92nd birthday on Tuesday of this week. She makes her home with her son, J. A. Woolven.

"Find" \$10,000 To Strengthen Position Against Stormy Day

TOWN TREASURER EXPLAINS
EFFECT OF TAX SALE ON
TOWN'S POSITION

WON'T AFFECT RATE

Revenue from the tax sale is "found money" so far as the town's bookkeeping is concerned, it was gathered from the explanation which N. L. Mathews, K.C., clerk and solicitor, gave to the town council on Monday evening.

The money will not be used for current expenditures or to lower next year's tax rate, but to strengthen the town's financial position, it was also gathered. In other words, the money will presumably be used to write off uncollected but probably collectible taxes, or to depreciate assets, or in some similar way.

This year's tax sale proceeds were "found money" because the town had previously written off these taxes as though they were uncollectible. Nor were these probable proceeds included in the revenue side of this year's budget, although \$2,000 for tax sale purchases was included on the expense side.

The money will not only strengthen the town's bookkeeping position, and make the town more impregnable in case of another financial storm or depression, but will also lessen the town's usual bank overdraft at the end of the year and increase the town's balance at the present time.

"Total money received by the town as a result of the tax sale, either as the result of properties being redeemed or as the result of sale to others than the owners, was \$10,481.23," Mr. Mathews

WILL OPEN STORE

Manager of a store in Kirkland Lake, C. R. Insley is going to open a men's clothing business in Newmarket in C. S. McCauley's store, formerly occupied by W. L. Moorby.

reported.

"The town bought in some properties, totalling \$12,016," Mr. Mathews said. "That represents taxes that have been largely written off."

"Just a matter of bookkeeping, isn't it?" commented the mayor. "These properties can be purchased from the town?" questioned Councillor A. V. Higginson.

"Not for a year," said Mr. Mathews. "They can be redeemed within a year."

"I would be ready to sell any of these lots for a price plus six per cent interest and begin paying taxes right away," said Mayor Dr. S. J. Boyd.

"You couldn't give a title to them," said Reeve F. A. Lundy. "I know," said Dr. Boyd. "But a young chap could start now and buy a lot during the year by instalments."

"How much of this money was expected?" asked Councillor A. D. Evans.

"We didn't put any property in that wasn't four years in arrears," Mr. Mathews said. He concluded his complex explanation with the statement: "We're in a very good position."

Asked by another councillor if the sale would bring down next year's tax rate, Mr. Mathews said: "This will be the town's way of working up the reserve that Mr. Bowser and Mr. Mungovan want."

Town Is Chief Purchaser At Adjourned Tax Sale

SOME PROPERTIES SOLD FOR
LESS THAN AMOUNT
OF TAXES

At the adjourned tax sale, conducted by N. L. Mathews, K.C., as town treasurer, in the council chamber, on Friday morning, it developed that the town was prepared to let several properties go for less than the taxes owing against them.

Mr. Mathews said that while the town could not bid less than the amount of the taxes, he was free to indicate what figure the bidding would have to go to so that the town would not bid.

Bidding on the house of Bert Green, Timothy St., against which taxes amounted to \$1,939.01, started at \$100. Mr. Mathews said that unless the bidding went to \$800 the town would buy the property in for the amount of the taxes. So bidding began again at \$800, Mrs. Alex. McKee and J. O. Little bidding against each other. Mrs. McKee got the property at \$905. Mr. Little, who consulted with Mr. Green throughout the bidding, bid up to \$900.

W. O. Carruthers bought three properties. Miss Beatrice Lyons bought three properties. Mrs. Violet Robinson MacNaughton bought one property. J. O. Little bought one. Mrs. Alex. McKee bought one. Mrs. Blanche Tra-

MAKE CHANGES

A new front is being constructed on the Chainway store, Main St.

HAS GOOD CATCH

Dorothy Dales, younger daughter of Dr. and Mrs. L. W. Dales, caught two fine bass and a pike in Lake Simcoe on Tuesday morning. Her father, who accompanied her, had no luck.

viss bought one.

Nine owners had redeemed their properties before the sale. The town took all the remaining properties of the total list of 47.

Asked how these purchases would affect the town's financial position, Mr. Mathews told The Era that the town had budgeted for some purchases and that part of the purchases were taken care of by reserves for uncollected taxes.

One of the properties which the town took was the Ontario St. house of Mrs. Lucy Haskett (David Farley) at the price of the taxes, \$1,127.50. Mr. Mathews said that the town was prepared to let this property go for \$350, but there were no bidders.

Another was the property of Mrs. Maud Hatch, pt. 15, west Prospect, house, No. 23, against (Page 3, Col. 6)

Field Of Cloth Of Gold Had Nothing On This Acre

NEWMARKET MAN DEVELOPS
BEAUTIFUL NEW
GLAD VARIETIES

An unforgettable sight, a field of glorious gladioli, greets the visitor to the fair grounds via Lydia or Timothy Sts. It is the plantation of Jack Stephenson, amateur horticulturist.

Mr. Stephenson is an "amateur" only in the sense that he is not growing flowers commercially, for he is an expert in the development of new varieties of gladioli.

Every glad in Mr. Stephenson's field, which he has had leased from Mrs. A. D. Evans for the purpose for the last three years, is numbered and Mr. Stephenson can give the names of the parents, grandparents, and ancestors even further removed, of each plant.

ATTENDS FUNERAL

Among the visitors here to attend the funeral of the late George Muir were Stanley Brock, Toronto business executive, who was a printer-apprentice in The Era office under Mr. Muir.

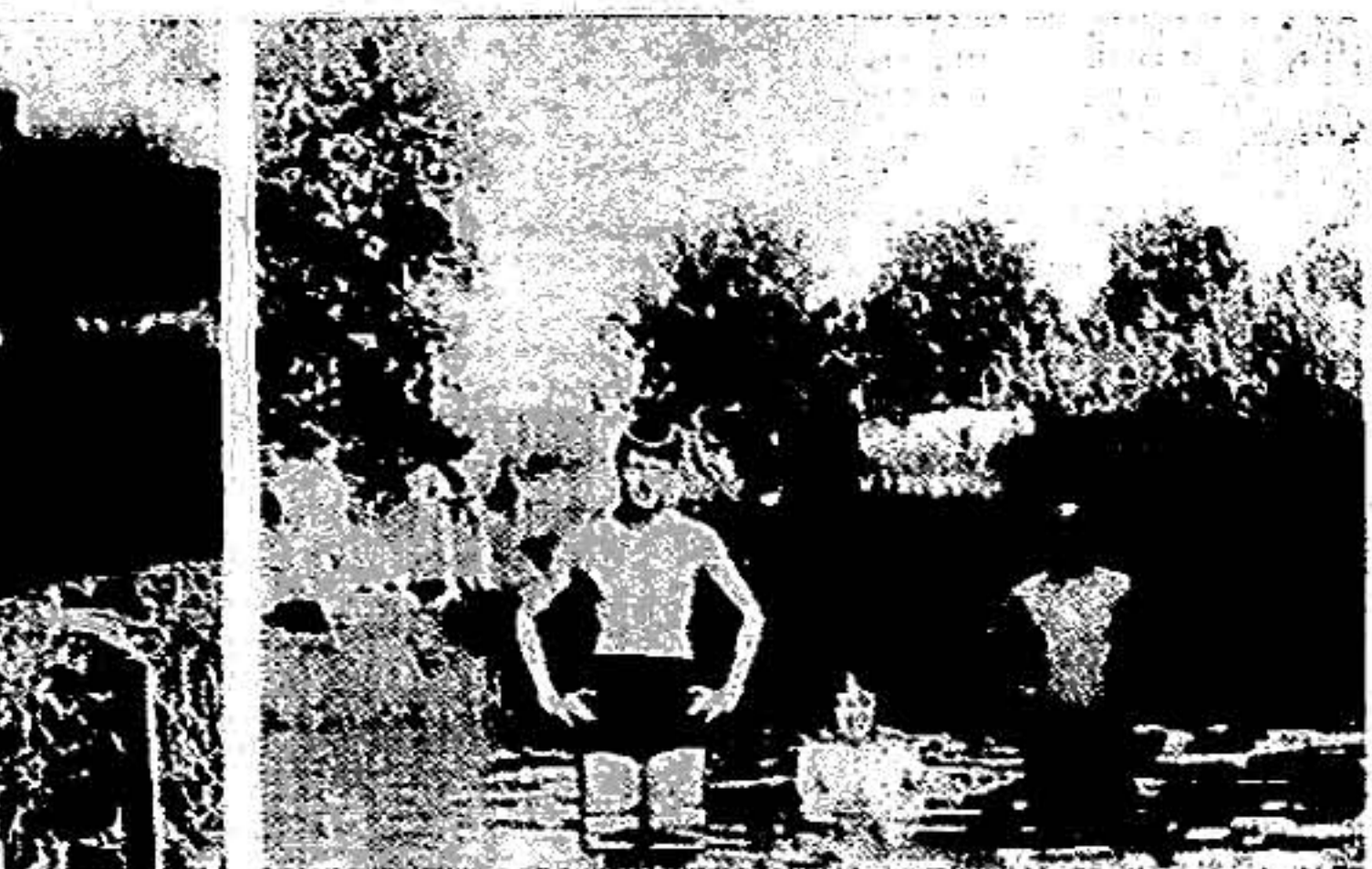
SHOP DEMOLISHED

Another link with days gone by, Fierheller's blacksmith shop on Main St. has been torn down.

Flower from one plant and replaces it with part of the flower of another plant. He uses hard-won knowledge in selecting plants for the perpetuation of qualities of strength and color.

Some of Mr. Stephenson's new varieties he considers, with good reason, superior to certain well-known market varieties.

REVIVED TOWN SOFTBALL LEAGUE PROVES GREAT SUCCESS



Interested crowds have followed the fortunes of the town softball league this year. In top left picture are seen three of the fans at the band-luncheon game at the Stuart Scott school grounds on Friday evening. Left to right are Jean Percy, Toronto, Phyllis Osborne and Beth Os-

borne. In the top right picture the camera has caught Jack Wright at bat, "Shorty" Turan behind the catcher's mask, and Bob Peters calling the balls and strikes.

In the lower left picture is shown the dam which enterprising youngsters have built on the Bogartown creek near the fair grounds. That is Teddy Greenwood leaning over the dam. In the picture bottom right are seen (left to right) Warren Perry, Gordon Irwin and Edwin Irwin. The water is a bit muddy but the youngsters don't mind. They swim and dive in it. Era photos.

HYDRO REGRETS ITS OWN SLOW ACTION

Regretting that there had been delay in dealing with Newmarket's claim for a rebate, the Ontario Hydro-Electric by letter advised the town council at a meeting Monday evening that the matter was now in the hands of its legal department.

The town deferred payment of the July account for power from the Hydro-Electric amounting to \$3,614.84 pending settlement. The town has held back several other payments for the same reason.

The Hydro's letter, read to the council by N. L. Mathews, K. C., clerk and solicitor, was in response to one from Mr. Mathews.

"The ball club has spent over \$100 on the bleachers and grounds themselves," stated Councillor Wm. Dixon, chairman of the property committee, explaining an account of \$158.50 from W. R. Ewing for the town's share of erecting the new bleachers at the fair grounds.

He spoke to members of the council before going ahead with the accounts of two men employed to put the race-track in shape for the civic holiday (Aug. 7) horse-racing. He had not authorized their employment, he said.

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The track surface as prepared for bicycle racing during the old boys' reunion was not suitable for horse-racing, Councillor Frank Bowser, who was presiding, explained.

"I don't think the town has any legal right to spend money on horse-racing," said Mr. Mathews in support of Mr. Dixon.

"If these boys had been making money, it would have been different," said Mayor Dr. S. J. Boyd. "But they were putting on these races for the benefit of the town. They needed extra help and I thought they should have it."

"The town has provided a race-track, but I don't think that the town should go any further," said Deputy-Reeve Joseph Vale. "This is the greatest town for half a dozen people forming an association and then expecting the ratepayers to foot the bill," said Mr. Dixon.

"What have you done to help?" asked Mr. Bowser.

"There are a lot of taxpayers who don't approve of spending money on a race-track," replied Mr. Dixon.

The accounts were paid.

GIRLS WILL PLAY OFF

Unionville, Fisherville and Newmarket are to play off for the girls' softball championship, but Alex. Webster, Newmarket manager, has not yet received the schedule. Maple and Thornhill are out.

CHIEF IS HOLIDAYING

Chief Constable James Sloss is enjoying holidays at the present time.

BREAKS ANKLE

Falling from a high beam while working with a hay fork in the mow on the farm of the son, Emerson, King township, Robert Thorpe, 78, of Bradford, Somersetshire, to the floor and broke his ankle, on Wednesday.

Tuesday Evening's Game Sweet Fiasco, Play Tonight Again

HOMERS BY CAIN AND
CUNNINGHAM DELIGHT
FANDOM

DARKNESS INTERFERES

By JACK PEPPIATT

Old man darkness was the real winner of the third and supposedly deciding game in the Newmarket-Richmond Hill series Tuesday. The Redmen had a two-run lead in the eighth and last inning. An overflow crowd of fans saw this disappointing finish to an otherwise "swell-elegant" contest.

The game was featured by home runs batted out by Cain and "Chuck" Cunningham. Newmarket garnered one in the fifth, two in the sixth and two in the seventh. Cunningham's homer

BOB DALES UNDERGOES APPENDIX OPERATION

Bob Dales, son of Dr. and Mrs. L. W. Dales, had an appendix operation at York county hospital last week, and is getting along well. When Bob heard that he had passed his upper school examinations this week, his recovery was much accelerated.

In the sixth was the sweetest blow of the night, a drive to deep centre field. Slong had his fast ball working the first few innings but became erratic when the pressure was on.

This game provided the boys with good exercise and the club with a healthier bank deposit. Keep your diary open for the resume tonight at a quarter to seven.

Main St. To Be Widened For First Soap-Box Derby

TWO LOCAL GROUPS GET
TOGETHER TO SOLVE
PROBLEM

There is nothing that cannot be accomplished by co-operation. Or so, at least, Main St. gossips are saying.

For years efforts have been made to get Main St. widened. This question has been discussed in chimney-corners and at council meetings, but it has been like the weather in that nobody has done anything about it.

A little while ago one of the town's ablest elder statesmen, J. O. Little, and a committee of which Alex. N. Belugin is chairman and Harry Lambert, Councillor D. O. Mungovan and Mr. Little are the other members, conceived the idea of getting the two town hands to collaborate on this problem of widening Main St.

As the result of their collaboration, Leonard Little, publicity and ballyhoo man for the two organizations, now informs The Era that Main St. is to be specially widened on the evening of Wednesday, Sept. 13, to accommodate a "soap-box derby."

A soap-box derby is a downhill coasting race by the smartest kids and the fastest soap-boxes in town. The soap-boxes must be put on wheels by the youngsters themselves, who must be 15 or under. The race will start up by the registry office and end down by the Strand theatre.

Youngsters may get particulars from Roy Rhinehart or Leslie Rowland.

Another feature of the "Big Band Night" will be the biggest parade the town has ever seen. Prizes will be given for the best decorated bicycles, doll-buggies,

MR. AND MRS. BOULTON RETURN TO WORK

Adjutant and Mrs. S. G. Boulton and Kenneth have just returned from holidays spent in Toronto and Essex. They will assume charge of the services at the Salvation Army barracks on Sunday. They will be assisted by an octet of handmen from Elizabeth St. corps band, Toronto.

TRACTOR RUNS OVER DRIVER, BREAKS LEG

Leonard Selby met with a serious accident on the farm of his father, Wellington Selby, at Sharon, last Friday.

He was driving a new tractor, when it hit a stone and he was thrown out. Although he had managed to reach the brake, the machine ran over his right leg, taking a piece of flesh out of the calf and breaking his leg below the knee in two places. His left heel was also slightly injured.

It was some 10 or 15 minutes before the injured man was found lying in the field by members of his family. Dr. J. G. Cock was called and removed him to York county hospital, where he is progressing favorably.

and groups. Presentation of medals and trophies by Prof. C. F. Thiele of Waterloo to the members of the two bands will make citizens mighty proud. Games and midway are promised. There will be a band concert and program of entertainment. Everything will be in the carnival spirit.

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AROUND THE CORNER

With the increasing lack of interest in political party labels in Canada, there also seems to be, unfortunately, an increasing lack of interest in politics or public affairs. There seems to be a "What's the use" attitude on the part of the public. The Conservatives have a turn and now the Liberals have had a turn. It might seem reasonable, as Mr. Woodsworth and Mr. Herridge and Mr. Blackmore argue, that the public should now turn to a third party, but it strikes us that the public hasn't enough interest or hope left even to make that turn at the present time. The public seems to despair of government action as a remedy for unemployment and kindred ills.

Romance Wanted

Oh for a brother-in-law for Mr. King! It will be remembered that towards the end of Mr. Bennett's term of office his "new deal" speeches fell on the land like manna. They were too late to save the day for the Conservative party, but they did much to restore public faith in government as a means of solving social and economic problems. Then came Mr. King with his determination to wipe out unemployment. He believed that if government would just leave things alone prosperity would come home wagging its tail behind it. His plan hasn't been a conspicuous success.

Brother-in-Law Woodsworth

If we had the choice of a brother-in-law for Mr. King we would name Mr. Woodsworth (Mr. Herridge had his turn!). Mr. King has an amazing capacity for winning elections, perhaps because that is his principal interest. Mr. Woodsworth, on the other hand, doesn't make much of a success at winning elections, but he and his party have been advancing the ideas which most Canadians today admit will govern Canada tomorrow. They ask for increased social control over business, to eliminate as much waste, greed, chiselling and duplication as possible. They ask for national planning, to produce intelligently to supply known needs, to assure a fair return to all workers, and to make sure that all are workers. They ask for fairer returns to all classes of citizens, and greater state interest in the personal health and social welfare of all citizens. In short, they believe that instead of a part of the population producing too much of certain commodities and causing confusion to the entire economic system, as at present, the state should see that the entire population is producing and producing according to need. For instance, we have enough farmers today to supply all the food we can eat and all we can at present sell abroad, but we haven't enough doctors to give adequate medical attention to all classes of our citizens provided that they had the means to avail themselves of the medical services they should have. For instance, we are producing today in Canada more milk and milk products than we are eating, but not nearly so much as we could consume if all of our population could afford the milk that doctors say we should have.

Why Indeed?

It may be a Liberal party or a Conservative party or Liberal and Conservative parties which gradually carry these ideas into practice, but we seldom talk on economic problems with a person who will not admit that these radical changes in our economic system must eventually come about. Why should we let an out-of-date economic system prevent us from picking vegetables from our own garden?

WOULD BE EVEN BUSIER

If only the town's merchants weren't so busy on Saturday evenings, they would get a chance to see the Main St. traffic congestion. They would realize how the inconvenience to shoppers is damaging their business and they would send a delegation to the town council to ask immediate action. They would probably agree on three or four lines of action: (1) Limitation of parking, to be enforced against at least town residents, including the merchants themselves; (2) Provision of additional parking space close to Main St.; (3) Widening of the street by removing light poles and cutting down sidewalks where feasible; (4) Passing a by-law which would prevent erection of new fronts or buildings in front of new wide boundaries for the street.

Is Widdfield Park Available?

So far as the provision of parking space is concerned, it has frequently been suggested that Widdfield Park could be made into a useful parking lot. There is doubt whether under the terms of gift it would be available for that purpose. Steps should be taken to resolve this doubt, so that there need not be useless discussion of possibly an unavailable solution of the town's parking problem.

Half's Breadth Alley

Not a Saturday goes by but that one or two cars have fenders scraped on Main St. Two or three weeks ago a young farmer practically tore a fender off his new car when it caught on the bumper of a parked car. That doesn't build good-will for Newmarket.

BENEVOLENT DICTATORSHIP

Government of the ancient colony of Newfoundland is being carried on by a commission appointed by the British government. The commission consists of three Britishers, three Newfoundlanders and a British governor. Each commissioner functions as the head of a department,

as would a cabinet minister, and answers only to the commission. There is no legislature to ask embarrassing questions. From Newfoundlanders we learned, while away recently, that the commission has considerably increased government expenditures and has set up an elaborate civil service away beyond the purse of the people of Newfoundland. The taxpayers of Great Britain, however, have been paying the deficits since the commission took charge. John Bull spends his money in strange ways.

Back 100 Years

Therein lies the explanation of Newfoundland's continued tolerance of arbitrary government. There is naturally criticism of the commission government, but so long as Britain continues to pay the piper the Newfoundland people will no doubt be content to allow Britain to call the tune. A few have started already to agitate for self-government. As soon as, if ever, Newfoundland gets out of the red, the old cries of "no taxation without representation" and "responsible government" will go up. Newfoundlanders will want to rock their own boat. In the meantime, the attitude of Newfoundland is just that of an Ontario municipality that has gone into default. They must grin and bear it.

CONGRATULATIONS STOUFFVILLE!

The Charles Clark cup for the best weekly newspaper of between 1,000 and 2,000 circulation this year went to British Columbia. The winner was the Kelowna Courier, published by a former Ontario man, R. P. McLean, who left the Picton Times in the hands of a brother and sister something over a year ago to go to British Columbia. The newspaper to place second in this competition was the Listowel (Ont.) Banner, published in a town about the size of Aurora. Third was our neighbor, the Stouffville Tribune, which was brought to public attention in the spring with the winning of the Joseph T. Clark Memorial Trophy for the best all-round weekly published in an Ontario or Quebec town or village of less than 1,500 population. In the Charles Clark cup competition the Tribune came up against weeklies published in much larger towns than its own and with weeklies from all parts of Canada. York county may well be proud of the high rating which the Tribune won.

OAKES' ISLAND AND BURIED TREASURE

One of our wonderments at Niagara Falls was why a man so generous as Harry Oakes in providing such beautiful gardens for the public enjoyment would go to such lengths to avoid taxation. Mr. Oakes made a mining fortune in northern Ontario, and now lives in Bermuda because there is no income tax there. Mr. Oakes' removal to Bermuda means that those he leaves behind, all of us, pay a little larger share of the cost of government and government services, but Mr. Oakes would not look at it that way. What he found in the ground is his, and he intends to keep it. We should add that while we were in Chester, Nova Scotia, as a continuation of the trip to Niagara Falls, we stayed overnight at the parental home, and could hear machinery at work on Oak Island, where the interminable search goes on for Captain Kidd's buried treasure. We didn't join in the search, but not because we were afraid it might necessitate our removal to Bermuda.

HONEST PUBLIC SERVANT

The Liberal M. P. for Muskoka is a man of singular integrity, according to an editorial in the Huntsville Forester. "He seriously applies himself to his duties, and when he has finally decided to retire from public life, it will be found that no new fortunes have been amassed, with the suggestion that 'public life has been a good thing for Stephen Furniss.'" He is a farmer. The Forester goes on to put itself in "that increasingly large group of individuals who believe that the old-time charm of party names is lost. Liberalism or Conservatism no longer mean anything in themselves."

Courageous Leadership Wanted

Support for Liberal or Conservative candidate will largely depend on the impression made by their party leaders, the Forester continues with our approval. "If there is stagnation or indifference toward the newer demands in public policies, encouragement will be given to other elements to enter the contest in this and other ridings, and public support may be surprisingly large. The onus is upon the two old parties. Within their set-up there is the possibility of progressive action in keeping with the urgency of public demands. If in this there is failure to make response, the consequences will fall heavily upon the old party leadership."

THOUGHTS ON BRITISH INSTITUTIONS

There may be a federal election this fall, and there may not be one until next year. There was a time when we used to think this parliamentary system whereby the party in power may have an election whenever it feels like it was wonderfully wise and even divinely inspired. We don't think so any more. The American principle of elections at fixed times is away ahead of our system of base-stealing. That's what it is. The government party waits until it thinks the other parties aren't looking and then it tries to steal a base. Or the government party rigs up a camouflage, known as an "issue," and steals to the next base before the other team or the public has got the sand out of its eyes. Any one who thinks that prime ministers fix election dates in the interests of the country rather than in the interests of the party is charitable. Why should the date of an election be determined by the politician in power, when the purpose of an election is to enable the public to pass judgment on his record? Why, oh why? If it is better not to have elections at fixed intervals, the decision as to when it should take place would better rest with the crown, as represented by the governor-general or lieutenant-governor. We have shown kings and their representatives that we can govern our British countries without their help and we have developed to an extreme what is termed limited monarchy. We can now afford to move back in the other direction and give the crown a few duties and privileges. In other words, if we are going to keep the crown as an institution, we should make it a useful institution.



YOUNG CHIPS IS DISTURBED

BY RUTH DINGMAN HEBB

"I heard a Whip-Poor-Will calling last night," Handsome, the Blue Jay, announced to Young Chips, the Chickadee.

"That's nothing," said Young Chips quickly. "I not only heard him, but I was talking to him. He kept me awake calling and calling, and finally I went over and hunted for him and suggested that he stop, which he wouldn't do."

"You shouldn't complain," said Handsome. "About the only time that we ever hear him calling is in the early spring and then on these late August evenings. He will be going south in another couple of weeks."

"Yes, I suppose one really shouldn't mind his racket," admitted Young Chips. "I asked him why he didn't sing in the daytime instead, and he said that he had to rest in the cool woods in the daytime, on the ground or stretched out lengthwise on some limb, and come out in the evening when the insects and moths and mosquitoes are flying about and he can catch them on the wing."

"He is quite like the Nighthawk in his habits, isn't he?" said Handsome. "I doubt if I would know them apart if I didn't hear their calls."

"There are several ways in which they are different," Young Chips informed the Jay pompously. "The Whip-Poor-Will's throat is dark, not light, like the Nighthawk's. The Whip-Poor-Will's outer tail feathers are banded with white and he has a white band across his throat. On the other hand he hasn't got the white spots on his wings, which are so noticeable a part of the Nighthawk's costume when he is flying. Also, the Whip-Poor-Will's tail is rounded and the Nighthawk's is slightly forked."

"You're pretty clever to know all this, aren't you?" taunted the Blue Jay.

"I asked him quite a bit about himself last night, or I wouldn't know it," admitted the Chickadee. "Another funny thing is that both the Nighthawk and the Whip-Poor-Will just lay two eggs. One set of twins is an ideal family," he said to me.

"Well, your conversation is

very interesting, but I must be on my way," said Handsome. "You would have laughed if you'd seen me this morning. I chased Mr. Cardinal from the place where he goes regularly to feed. It was lots of fun. He's a frightfully timid creature."

"You're a very mean person," said Young Chips indignantly. "I'll admit that the male Cardinal seems to me to be twice as shy and frightened of everybody and everything as his wife, and that is rather a disgraceful condition of things, but all the same, it's no excuse for you to take advantage of it."

"What makes you think that the male is more timid than the female?" asked a Phoebe, who had been an interested listener. "Well, there's a certain feeding station that I know of where this pair of Cardinals eat," explained Young Chips. "And every time that they come there to eat, the lady comes first and cautiously spies out the ground. Then, if everything is all right, Mr. Cardinal comes along very hesitantly. But he dashes off again if there is so much as a sudden movement anywhere nearby."

"I see that the Jay has left us," said the Phoebe. "He's a scoundrel!"

"Have you seen any Warblers yet?" Young Chips asked her. "They are migrating southwards again these days in late August."

"Yes, I have," replied the Phoebe, and I saw a Red-breasted Nuthatch in the woods only this morning."

"You did?" said Young Chips. "I wish I had seen him, too. I wonder if my friend, the White-breasted Nuthatch, knows he is here. He always likes to see his little cousin, when he is passing through this district in late August on his way down from his northerly summer home."

"He's a very pretty little fellow," said the Phoebe. "He's very much like the White-breasted, of course, but smaller, and with brownish-red underparts and a little white eyebrow stripe."

"I must certainly see him before he goes," said Young Chips. "And now, I'll just buzz over to Huron St. I've a date for afternoon tea."



Defense Minister Mackenzie announced on Tuesday that an additional 200 members would be recruited for the Canadian naval reserve.

A young couple from the United States, honeymooning in Canada, lost \$30 and two tickets for home and voiced gratitude to Detective Inspector J. R. Chamberlain, Hamilton, who advanced them money to return to the U. S. No one has yet criticized this as another instance of Chamberlain appeasement.

One child out of every four will be killed or injured in motor traffic accidents unless increase of such accidents is curtailed, it was estimated this week by the Toronto Police Safety and Accident Prevention Bureau.

Sarnia's school opening date may be postponed one week because of the "polio" situation there.

Premiers of both Quebec and Ontario attended the funeral of Senator Frank P. O'Connor in Toronto on Wednesday.

The Japanese threat to blockade Hong Kong to prevent alleged British aid to Chinese, has caused the British to ask for registration of English-born women and children in this British crown colony. The list would be used in event of evacuation, it is stated.

Early threshing returns indicate crop yields moderately better than expected in western Canada. Harvesting is about 50 per cent completed.

John Cobb of England covered a measured mile in Utah, U. S., this week in his 2,000 horsepower aluminum auto, faster than ever man has done it on wheels before. Miles per hour: 360.23.

News that Russia had signed a non-aggression pact with Germany brought disappointment to Britain and France, though both declared their resolution to stick by Poland in the Danzig controversy. Japan also viewed the situation with alarm, feeling that now Russia had nothing to fear from Germany, Russian armies would be concentrated against Japan.

Ways of getting thousands of Americans out of Europe and of protecting United States neutrality in event of war were discussed in Washington this week.

Crown Attorney W. P. Clem-

daughter.

BORN—At Holland Landing, Aug. 8, to Mr. and Mrs. Sidney S. Marsh, a daughter.

MARRIED—At the residence of the bride's parents, Aug. 21, by Rev. L. W. Hill, B. A. Stephen H. Griffith to Emma Viola, only daughter of Mr. Chas. Lundy, Newmarket.

DIED—In Newmarket, Aug. 16, Ann Thompson, wife of the late Kempt Thompson of Holt, aged 80 years.

DIED—In Newmarket, Aug. 22, Albert N. Chantler, aged 34 years.

25 YEARS AGO

From Era file, Aug. 21, 1914

Mr. Julius Rogers, Gorham St., is visiting in Wolesey, Sask.

Mr. Bert Day of the Bell Telephone Co., was transferred to Bracebridge last week.

Miss Margaret Osborne of Toronto is spending her vacation with Mr. and Mrs. W. Osborne at Jersey, Lake Simcoe.

Miss Marjorie Kaiser of Sutton West is spending her vacation with her sister, Mrs. J. Stanley Osborne.

A party of young girls, Misses Georgian Caw, Laura Vernon, Beryl Bogart and Edith Starr with Mrs. Vernon, are spending a week at Mr. E. S. Cane's cottage at Orchard Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Ausman of Indian Road Crescent, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hughes.

Mrs. Freeman and Miss Hazel Willis returned to Toronto on Friday of last week after spending a few days with Mrs. Freeman's brother, Mr. R. T. Willis.

Mrs. McCormick and son of North Toronto have been spending two weeks with her father, Mr. J. E. Widdifield.

Rev. T. M. Wesley and wife of Wroxeter are spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wesley.

Mrs. M. Brown and Miss Stella Brown are visiting relatives in Whitby.

Mrs. R. Trivett and family have gone to their new home in Edmonton.

Norman Wright has moved into the new store recently erected by Dr. Clark.

The Newmarket town council struck the town tax rate at 28 mills. An agreement proposed between the municipality and the Ontario Match Company, by which the town would guarantee the company's bonds to the extent of \$25,000, was referred to the town solicitor.

MARRIED—At the Presbyterian manse on Wednesday, Aug. 19, by Rev. Thomas Chas. Chas. H. Readman to Elva R. Abernethy, both of Newmarket.

DIED—At Keswick, Mary Hindmarsh, aged 85 years.

DIED—In Newmarket, Aug. 15, Lydia Moore, widow of Thos. Moore, in her 91st year.

DIED—At Holland Landing, Aug. 15, Wm. Mackenzie, aged 70 years.

IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO HELP CITY KIDS

"Application cancelled. Killed in accident."

This grim inscription at the foot of a card on file in the country home department of the Neighborhood Workers Association, Toronto, cancels the application for a two weeks vacation for a nine-year-old boy.

The application card further reveals these additional remarks by the visiting social worker. "This is a small three-roomed dwelling. There are eight in the family. It is very important that this boy get a holiday away from the city as he has absolutely no place to play."

Efforts were being made by the Neighborhood Workers Association to find a country farmhouse where this little lad could spend a few happy days. His name had been placed on the "urgent" list, but unfortunately an invitation didn't come in soon enough. He was killed while playing in the street with a group of other boys.

According to the director of the country home department, there are close to 300 boys between nine and 13 years of age for whom a country vacation is urgently needed. "The boys are playing on the streets during these hot summer days. Not only are they in constant danger but their health is becoming impaired. A visit to a farm might not only prevent a fatality but would help build up resistance against sickness," she said.

More than 500 children have already been sent out of town by the Neighborhood Workers Association, through the courtesy of country-folk who have extended invitations to them. For the most part the lucky ones have been girls. "People seem a bit afraid of inviting boys for fear they get into mischief, but according to our records they are so thrilled to be on a farm they remain on their very best behavior in the hope they will be asked to remain a long time," the director said.

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ALL ABOARD FOR THUNDER BAY

By Golden Glow

Last Thursday the chartered bus with the members of the Newmarket branch of the Women's Institute left Newmarket behind at 9.30 in the morning for their annual outing.

This year, on the invitation of Mrs. N. L. Mathews, the day was spent at her delightful summer home at lovely Thunder Bay on the shore of our wonderful Georgian Bay. That sounds like a lot of adjectives, but any and all the members present will say I have not exaggerated—in fact they might likely add a few more superlatives to it! Of all beautiful situations, the cottagers along Thunder Bay surely have first choice. The wonderful blue of the bay, girdled as it is by rounded hills of superb greenery, combined with one of the finest of sandy beaches to be found anywhere on earth (yes, I mean it!) would be hard to find elsewhere!

Thunder Bay was a place to dream about in my girlhood, before motor traffic could safely venture near—when we had to go by a horse-drawn bus, and leave it quite a way back in the grove for safety's sake. Such deep, clean, white sand! I loved it in those days, and it still has a firm hold on my affections, so you may be sure I was particularly pleased when we made our first trip there by auto several years ago, and I found its wonderful fascination as strong as ever. I was more than delighted to spend another day there last Thursday and recall other pleasant days in the same surroundings. The same only very, very different, so far as the shore itself is concerned, for there are splendid summer homes erected now all along the beach, where none stood in my early visits there, and the McNamara has, as if by magic, made a wonderful garden there with a natural spring bubbling up to make a little waterfall and a big pool, with gnomes (The Seven Dwarfs) and rustic bridge and all!

But I am away ahead of my story; the garden was visited in the afternoon when Mrs. Lyons, another W. I. member, who also has a lovely home on Thunder Bay, took us for such an interesting walk to see that garden, and then back "home" along the beach. I will have to tell about it all later, for I want to start all over, and begin properly from the start at the bus station!

We had Mr. Donaldson to again drive the chartered bus, as he did last year, and I think all the members would agree that we should have had him a bouquet of appreciation for his exceeding kindness and care for each and all of us that day. A more particular and careful driver couldn't be found, we know; and his thoughtfulness and gentleness even included helping arrange plans for next year's outing. What more could the W. I. ask?

So off we started, a jolly busful, with baskets, etc., tucked away on the racks above. The call had gone forth for sun-hats, dark glasses, bathing suits and outdoor shoes, so that the day might be enjoyed to the full.

We left early as we swung round the corner of Eagle St. to Highway No. 11—Yonge St., the old Penetang Road—(and later we went through Penetang!)

The day was perfect—not too hot—but still not cool enough for wraps, and when the bus travelled along the highway we created our own breeze and were very comfortable. In Barrie we parked a while outside a drug-store for those who wished to secure dark glasses or sun-hats, or sun-hats, and as we sat there we could see a tiny portion of Lake Simcoe, with hundreds of sea gulls flying around. It was such a pretty sight!

We marvelled all the way up at

LIVED FORTY YEARS ON YONGE ST. FARM

Sarah Elma Barker passed away peacefully in her sleep on Sunday afternoon, Aug. 13, at her home on the Yonge St. north farm where she had resided for the past 40 years.

Born of Quaker parents at Bogartown, on the John Randall farm that is now occupied by Geo. Drury, in the year of the Fenian raids, 1860, she would have been 73 on Sept. 24. Sarah Elma Brown was the eldest daughter of the late Emma Robinson and Mark Brown of Whitechurch township, farmers, and the second oldest child in a family of six.

She had spent all her earlier years in and around Newmarket. She was married at the Methodist parsonage in Newmarket, by the Rev. Lewis Hill, to Jno. Wm. Barker of Aurora, on March 18, 1891.

The first six years of their married life were spent in Aurora where Mr. Barker was engaged by the Fleury Company. The rest of her life was spent on the Yonge St. farm where she died. Her husband predeceased her two years ago.

There remain to mourn her loss, one son, Stanley, and wife, two sisters and one brother.

The funeral service was held from Rathbone and Rose funeral chapel on Tuesday afternoon, Aug. 15.

Rev. Barton Hill conducted the service. Interment was made in the family plot in Pine Orchard cemetery.

The pallbearers were: Fred Bowers, Alwyn Slatyer, Albert Wilton, Walter Travis, Walter Graves and Geo. West.

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beautiful, cultivated flowers in folks' gardens, besides the wonderful array of wild flowers. I never saw such golden-rod and Queen Anne's lace—they lined the roads and filled the fields—and in one place such heaps of chokecherries. We took the highway from Barrie through Elmville, and presently came to the road leading down to the motor camp on "Little Lake" at Midland, for we were to see the far-famed shrine before going to our destination.

Those who had never seen Midland motor camp most certainly had a surprise at the completeness of the arrangements made for tourists' comfort, and the enjoyment of the everyday picnicer. If there had been time we could have seen more of it than what you see from the road through, but time was moving along and we had to go too.

How to describe the wonders of the famous Martyrs' Shrine at Midland in a few short sentences I do not know, for there is so much of interest to be seen there that books have been written to tell of it. As you round the corner, east from Midland and the church comes into full view, you are struck at once at the unique site, for the twin towers of the shrine stand in plain view for miles around. Again the road curves, and you drive straight towards it and then in at the gate. At my suggestion our driver kindly took the bus straight up the hill to the parking space at the rear of the church, and we had no more walking to do than we cared about. Some, of course, wanted to climb the hill of the Twelve Stations of the Cross, with its marvellous out-of-doors altar, to the "Lookout" at the top, while others contented themselves with going only into the church, which alone is worth all the trouble of getting there.

Such beautiful surroundings need a lot more space than I should take up with this lengthy article. I will only add that a kindly young priest suggested we form a group, go in at the west door under the towers and walk up the centre aisle towards the altar, looking at things as we went, and all sit down in the seats at the front and he will give us a brief outline of the history of the missionaries in whose honour and memory the shrine was built. We wished to give him our grateful thanks, but he quietly disappeared into the vestry and we saw no more of him. If he by chance reads these words he will know we are exceedingly grateful for his kindness.

Then we embarked once more and went on our merry way—back into Midland, and along the main street, towards the dock, when we were delighted at seeing a young Newmarket couple, married the day before (we didn't know where they had gone on their honeymoon) having to wait at the curb till our bus passed. Needless to say we gave them a hilarious salute, with lusty blasts from the motor-horn of the bus, and cheers, for of course we stopped, and I am sure the folks on the street of Midland wondered what it was all about till we sang "Here comes the bride."

Then we left Midland and were soon in the old, old town of Penetanguishene, that military site and naval base, famous in days of old. We passed the Jesuit Memorial church, which was the mecca of all good Roman Catholics until the Martyrs' Shrine was completed. Leaving the paved roads we travelled dusty country roads on the last part of our trip, passing several wayside crosses and following the signs on telegraph poles along the way.

Presently we came to another wayside cross, more elaborate than any we had seen, and much taller. It stands facing the road that leads directly to Thunder Bay, and looks very impressive, but when I learned that it is the soldiers' memorial for the men from that district who did not return from the Great War, I wished I had been able to get a closer view of it and been able to see the sepulchral from the neck of one of the dead soldiers set in a little glass shrine part of the way up the pole. A very touching memorial, I think. And then we rounded another corner on the beach by the wonderful McNamara Gardens and summer home, and there was our smiling hostess, Mrs. Mathews, waiting to greet us! Such a chattering, as we all began talking at once, and could hardly wait for the bus to park before we took possession of our hostess and her delightful summer cottage. It is complete in every detail, with one of the jolliest fireplaces, even has a pump in the enamel sink in the kitchen. But it was to the screened verandah we all drifted one after another, for the grand view across the blue waters of the bay to the Glint's Tomb in the distance!

And what a day we had, with wonderful bathing

POLICE COURT DUNHAM REPLIES WITH 23 TRAFFIC CASES

Bail of \$3,000 each was renewed for Albert E. Bleakley and Clarence Jones, both of East York, and Fred Driver and Donald Munroe, both of Toronto, who are charged with car theft and breaking and entering a barber shop at Schomberg last week.

The quartet was remanded in custody one week for hearing, by Magistrate W. F. Woodliffe in police court here on Tuesday, when they were unable to raise bail.

Morris Frankel, Toronto, defence counsel for Jones, stated he could provide bail of \$2,000 and asked that the bail be lowered. Crown Attorney N. L. Mathews, K. C., stated that he couldn't consent to the bail being lowered, as it had been set by Magistrate Keith in county court, Toronto.

There were 99 cases on the court list but all the cases had been settled by 12.45 noon. Speeding charges laid by Constables Fisher Dunham, Aurora, Carl Morton, North Gwillimbury, and Joseph Jardine, East Gwillimbury, totalled 64. Constable Dunham had 23 cases, Constable Morton had 24 cases, and Constable Jardine had 17 cases.

Herman Vanderberg, Baldwin, was also remanded in custody one week for hearing when he failed to provide bail of \$500. Vanderberg is charged with the theft of a lawn-mower, tire and wheel, the property of Chas. Rowntree, Newmarket, and also

with having stolen goods. After hearing the evidence on a charge of assault laid against Clifford Sweet, East Gwillimbury, the magistrate committed Sweet for trial.

"I don't think this is a proper case to be tried summarily and I think it should be sent on to a higher court," stated Magistrate Woodliffe. "The charge is much more serious than it appeared at first."

"I work at home with my father on the farm and Sweet has his own farm nearby," stated Cecil Glover, East Gwillimbury, the complainant. "My father and Sweet exchange work and I was over helping Sweet with his harvest yesterday. The slings that take up the bundles weren't working right and Sweet blamed it on me. I went up in the mow to level the bundles and he fired them up, as the slings wouldn't work."

"After I finished mowing down the grain, I came down onto the floor and Sweet hit me on the head with his pitchfork. He jammed the prongs into my head twice. We weren't fighting at the time and he had no reason to hit me. I didn't know my head was bleeding and I grabbed Sweet and threw him but I was too weak to struggle, so I got up and took my fork and started for home. Mr. Rutledge, a neighbor, took me to his home when he saw me and then he brought me to Dr. Boyd's."

"Didn't you come at me with your fork?" asked Sweet. "No," answered Glover. "I left it in the mow till I was going home."

"When Glover was brought to

my office his head and all the front of his clothes were covered with blood," stated Dr. S. J. Boyd. "There were two wounds in his head close together. One was a scalp wound that didn't cut very deeply. The other wound punctured the scalp and went in till it struck heavy bone but the same blow on the brain or a softer blow might have caused death."

"Glover must have been struck twice, as there were two wounds. The one wound might have caused fatal injuries. Glover must have received a real hard whack. I think likely the wound will heal up, as I bandaged it again this morning, but there is a certain amount of danger yet."

"Did you say that the wounds were caused by two blows?" asked Sweet. "Yes," answered Dr. Boyd. "I would like to have a chance to explain this thing, as I think it is all a mistake," stated Sweet.

"You will have a chance to explain everything before a higher court," stated Magistrate Woodliffe.

Sweet was remanded in custody until he raises bail set by a county judge. A charge of keeping liquor for sale laid against Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Greig, Pefferlaw, was dismissed. A second charge laid against Greig of having liquor contrary to the liquor provisions, when he is on the interdicted list, was adjourned one week. Mr. McDonald, Beaverton, was defence counsel.

"I had Greig's premises under observation the early morning of July 30 until 3.45 a.m.," stated County Constable Alex. McCallum. "County Constable Wm. Hill was with me. We noticed two men leave the premises and get into a car. As they started to drive away, we stopped them. The pair had been drinking but they were not intoxicated and there was no liquor in the car."

"A short time later we saw two men and a lady leave the premises and get into a car. We stopped them also. In the car we found two quarts of beer, Albert Vanstone and Wm. Johnston, both of Cannington, were the two men in the car and when we started to search the car I saw Vanstone take one bottle from his pocket and put it on the floor. The trio had all been drinking."

"While we were searching the car the lights in the house went out," continued Constable McCallum. "We then went over to the house with a search warrant and a lady staying there let us in. Greig was lying on the bed with his clothes on and he had been drinking. Mrs. Greig was up and around. We searched the premises and in a small room off the kitchen we found 12 full quarts of beer the same brand as found in Johnston's car, and also 25 empty quart bottles and five empty pints all the same brand."

"We found another full quart of beer in the refrigerator. I have had the premises under observation about twice weekly for the last two months and there has been considerable traffic in the early mornings. The beverage room at Pefferlaw closes about 11.45 standard time."

"Is it unusual for cars to be parked outside at that time?" asked Mr. McDonald.

"Yes, when it is done so often," answered Constable McCallum. "Did you see any people come out of the back door of the house?"

"No, but I saw them walking along the side of the house," Constable Hill corroborated the evidence given by Constable McCallum.

"Can you swear that Vanstone and Johnston got a drink of beer in Greig's house?" asked defence counsel.

"No," answered Constable Hill. "Didn't the traffic on previous nights warrant your searching the place?"

"No," answered Constable Hill. "Johnstone had to deliver some money in Pefferlaw, so he left Miss Klose and me in the beverage room and came back for us later," stated Vanstone. "We stopped at Greig's and Johnston took in some money and then he came out and said that we were invited into the house. We went into the kitchen and all of us had some beer to drink."

"Mrs. Greig gave us the beer to drink and she filled up our glasses. Mrs. Greig left a couple of bottles on the table and said we could either drink them or take them away, so I took them. I didn't see Johnston get paid for the beer. I have known Mrs. Greig six or seven years."

"Did you see Mr. Greig in the house?" asked Mr. McDonald. "Yes," answered Vanstone. "I saw him lying on the bed."

Mr. McDonald stated that as there was no evidence of money given for the beer, the charge should be dismissed, but the magistrate called for the defence.

Mr. Greig testified that he hadn't bought any beer since last year and that his sister-in-law stayed with him, as his wife was sick often. "The night the police came I sat around and had a bottle of beer, and then I felt sick, so I went to bed. My wife told me that her sister had given her the money to order three cases of beer for a little party she was going to have. I saw no callers at the house that night until the police came."

"How much beer does your wife drink in a day?" asked Mr. Mathews.

"Not more than a couple of

bottles and she doesn't drink that much every day," answered Greig.

"How is it the police found 25 empty bottles?"

"They were an accumulation for some time, maybe a month," Mrs. Greig told the same story as her husband and stated that she ordered the beer and signed for it.

"Do you buy a case of beer a week?" asked Mr. Mathews. "Some weeks we don't get any," answered Mrs. Greig. "Mr. O'Shaughnessy, R.C.M.P., told me that we could have beer even though Mr. Greig was on the interdicted list, until our premises were declared public in a police court, so I have written to the constable but I haven't heard from him yet."

After the selling charge was dismissed Mr. McDonald asked that the other charge be adjourned one week so that he could subpoena the constable to be present.

Wallace Secombe, Toronto, speeding, \$9 and costs, charge laid by Constable Fisher Dunham, Aurora.

H. B. Williams, Toronto, speeding, \$9 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham.

Conwell Corp. Ltd., Toronto, speeding, \$9 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham.

Jas. Bensmore, Toronto, speeding, \$9 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham.

Howard McConnell, Burlington, speeding, \$15 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham.

Langton Martin, Toronto, speeding, \$7 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham.

Dr. Gordon Knowles, Toronto, speeding, \$5 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham.

Edward Menberry, Toronto, speeding, \$9 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham.

J. Wilson, Toronto, speeding, \$12 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham.

Dr. K. McKenzie, Toronto, speeding, \$10 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham.

Hedleigh Home Garage, Willowdale, speeding, \$9 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham.

Mike Bojars, Toronto, speeding, \$9 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham.

Reg. R. Farron, Toronto, speeding, \$9 and costs, 45 m.p.h., charge laid by Constable James Sloss, Newmarket.

J. M. Lynch, Toronto, speeding, \$5 and costs, charge laid by County Constable William Hill.

Ross Wood, Toronto, speeding, \$5 and costs, charge laid by Constable Hill.

Marion Sanderson, Toronto, speeding, \$5 and costs, charge laid by Constable Hill.

Marjorie Pack, Toronto, speeding, \$5 and costs, charge laid by Constable Hill.

H. L. Kearns, Toronto, speeding, \$5 and costs, charge laid by Constable Hill.

Chas. Bansley, Toronto, speeding, \$5 and costs, charge laid by County Constable Alex. McCallum.

Wm. Neilson's Ltd., Toronto, speeding, \$5 and costs, charge laid by Constable McCallum.

Lawrence Rawlinson, Toronto, speeding, \$5 and costs, charge laid by Constable McCallum.

P. F. Grant, Toronto, speeding, \$9 and costs, charge laid by Constable McCallum.

Can. Machinery Corp., Galt, speeding, \$5 and costs, charge laid by Constable McCallum.

J. J. Russell, Scarborough township, no flares, \$5 and costs, charge laid by Constable J. Jardine, East Gwillimbury.

Vernon J. Irvine, Toronto, speeding, \$9 and costs, charge laid by Constable Jardine.

Brown Bros. Ltd., Toronto, speeding, \$9 and costs, charge laid by Constable Jardine.

H. E. Clements, Hespeler, speeding, \$9 and costs, charge laid by Constable Jardine.

Max Satok, Toronto, speeding, \$5 and costs, charge laid by Constable Jardine.

J. P. McNabb, Toronto, speeding, \$12 and costs, charge laid by Constable Jardine.

Great Lakes Coal Co., Toronto, speeding, \$9 and costs, charge laid by Constable Jardine.

Andrew Hunter, Toronto, speeding, \$10 and costs, charge laid by Constable Jardine.

N. H. S. UPPER SCHOOL RESULTS ANNOUNCED

Upper school results at Newmarket High School follow.

The standing obtained by candidates in the various subjects of the Upper School is indicated as follows:—1—over 75, 2—66 to 74, 3—60 to 65, 4—50 to 59, Geneva Babcock heads the list with seven firsts and two seconds.

Mona Armstrong—Comp. 1; Lit. 3; Geneva Babcock—Comp. 2; Lit. 1; Mod. Hist. 2; Geom. 1; Trig. 1; Lat. Au. 1; Lat. Comp. 1; French Au. 1; French Comp. 1.

Gerald Blight—Alg. 2; Geom. c; Trig. 1; Lat. Au. c; Lat. Comp. c; Fr. Au. c; Fr. Comp. c. Denne Bosworth—Comp. 2; Lit. c.

Ted Bothwell—Comp. 2. Ruth Brooks—Comp. c. Jack Burnham—Comp. c; Zool. 3; Fr. Au. c; Fr. Comp. c.

Lois Cane—Comp. 2; Lit. 2. Betty Cowieson—Comp. c. James Cullen—Mod. Hist. 2; Geom. c; Phys. 2; Chem. 2; Fr. Au. 2; Fr. Comp. 2.

Fred Cunningham—Lit. c. Harold Cunningham—Mod. Hist. 3; Bot. 2; Zool. 2.

Robert Dales—Alg. c; Geom. 3; Trig. 3; Phys. c; Chem. c; Fr. Au. c; Fr. Comp. c. Evelyn Denne—Comp. 3; Lit. 2. Robert Dixon—Lit. 1.

Ruth Doyle—Fr. Au. c; Fr. Comp. c. Donald Ellies—Trig. c; Zool. c. Blanche Evans—Mod. Hist. c; Fr. Au. 2; Fr. Comp. 3. Mervyn Ewart—Comp. 2; Lit. c.

William Fraser—Geom. c; Trig. 3; Bot. 1; Zool. 1. Audrey Geer—Mod. Hist. 2; Geom. 2; Trig. 2; Bot. 1; Zool. 2; Fr. Au. 2; Fr. Comp. c.

Marion Gibney—Comp. 2; Lit. 1; Lat. Comp. c; Fr. Au. 2; Fr. Comp. 2. Fred Heacock—Comp. 2; Lit. c. Geale Hewson—Comp. 3; Lit. 3.

Gordon Hunt—Comp. c; Lit. 2. Bruce Jefferson—Comp. c; Lit. c; Marion Jefferson—Comp. c; Lit. c; Trig. c; Fr. Au. c; Fr. Comp. c.

Kenneth Johns—Mod. Hist. 3; Geom. 2; Phys. 3; Chem. c; Fr. Au. 2; Fr. Comp. c. John Johnston—Comp. c; Lit. c; Mod. Hist. c; Alg. 2; Geom. 2; Trig. 1; Phys. 1; Chem. 2; Fr. Au. 3; Fr. Comp. 3.

Helen Lunney—Alg. 2; Geom. 2; Trig. 1; Lat. Au. 2; Lat. Comp. c; Fr. Au. 2; Fr. Comp. 1. Lorne McCordick—Alg. 1; Geom. 1; Trig. 1; Phys. 1; Chem. 2; Fr. Au. 2; Fr. Comp. 3.

Blanche McDonald—Lit. c. Helen Nesbitt—Lit. c. Florence Oliver—Comp. c.

Mary Osborne—Alg. 2; Geom. 1; Trig. 2; Lat. Au. 2; Lat. Comp. c; Fr. Au. 2; Fr. Comp. 3. John Peppitt—Mod. Hist. 1; Geom. c; Trig. 1; Lat. Au. c; Lat. Comp. 2; Fr. Au. 2; Fr. Comp. 2.

Jerald Pollock—Comp. 3. Doris Proctor—Lit. c. Brock Ramsay—Mod. Hist. c. Lloyd Rose—Lit. c. Pauline Sinclair—Fr. Au. c; Fr. Comp. 3. Gordon Smalley—Mod. Hist. 3; Chem. c. Elsie Smith—Lit. 2; Mod. Hist. c; Lat. Au. 2; Lat. Comp. c; Fr. Au. c; Fr. Comp. c.

Jean Smith—Comp. c; Lit. 1. Joyce Smith—Comp. c. Arthur Sweetie—Lit. 2.

Joyce Tate—Comp. c. Dan Teasdale—Mod. Hist. 1; Geom. 1; Trig. 1; Phys. 1; Chem. 1; Fr. Au. 2; Fr. Comp. c. Bertha Tunney—Comp. c.

James Tod—Alg. 2; Geom. c; Trig. 1; Phys. 2; Chem. c; Fr. Au. 2; Fr. Comp. c. Bertha Tunney—Comp. c.

The following are the promotions in the middle school at Newmarket high school announced this week by Principal J. B. Bastedo. The subjects in brackets after a student's name indicate that he must repeat the work in that subject.

IIIA to IVA: Alice Belugin; Arthur Cook (Eng. Comp. and Lit.); Charles Boyd; Martha Coorsen (French Comp.); Betty Cowieson; John Cowieson (Eng. Comp., Latin and French); Barbara Davis; Bob Dixon; William English (Eng. Comp. and Latin); Sidney Fierheller; Frances Ganton (French and Latin); Hugh Garrett; Cyril Gibbons; Claude Groves (Can. Hist., French and Latin); Howard Hamilton; Jean Hill; Bill Jelley; Murray Link; Bruce Lockie; Ivan Moulds (French and Latin); Roy Oliver; Jim Otton; John Otton; Gloria Peppitt; Doreen Proctor (Physics); Anne Rogers; Hugh Rynard; Roderick Rynard; Gordon Travis; Bertha Tunney; Mary Margaret Webb; Wilfred Welter; Jean Willis (Comp. and Lit.).

IVA to V: Mona Armstrong; Joan Baines (Chem.); Denne Bosworth; Lois Cane; Fred Cunningham (Eng. Comp., Latin Au. and Comp.); Harold Cunningham; Mervyn Ewart; Leslie Faichney; Fred Heacock; Geale Hewson; Gordon Hunt; Bruce Jefferson; Florence Oliver (Alg.); Jerald Pollock; Doris Proctor (Chem. and Fr. Au.); Brock Ramsay (U. S. Lit. and Comp.); Jean Smith; Joyce Sweetie (U. S. Comp.).

IIIC to IVC: Edmund Burke (Bookkeeping); Mervyn Firth; Victor Higginson; Florence Lavender (aeg.); Mildred Lyons (Can. Hist.); Erma Young (Lit.); Albert Diamond (Lit. and Can. Hist.).

The principal will be in the school office in the afternoon and evening of Friday and Saturday, Sept. 1 and 2, and will be pleased to interview any students regarding courses of study, etc. Particularly he would like to see students who intend registering in fifth or the one year special commercial course.

SUTTON WEST
ANNOUNCE UPPER
SCHOOL RESULTS

Upper school results for the Sutton continuation school are announced this week by the principal, L. W. Pike, as follows: Joy Brooks, E. C. 2; E. L. c; L. C. 2; F. A. 2; F. C. 2; Bernice Hamilton, E. L. c; M. H. c; Geom. c; Trig. 1; Dan Mahoney, E. C. c; Phys. 1; L. A. c; L. C. 2; F. A. 2; F. C. 2; Trig. 1; Marion Morrison, E. C. c; L. C. c; F. C. c.

Mary Noble, E. L. 2; M. H. 3; Geom. c; L. A. 2; L. C. 3; Trig. 1; Gwen Pearce, E. C. c; F. A. c; F. C. c; Lloyd Pivnick, E. C. c; M. H. c; F. A. c; Hope Seale, E. C. c; Elizabeth Sedore, Alg. 2; Phys. 2; F. A. c; F. C. c; Trig. 2; Jeanette Sedore, E. C. c.

(Continued from Page 1) which the taxes were \$1,865.84. The town was ready to let this property go for \$1,000. Two lots of R. S. Williams & Son, on Gorham and Lydia Sts., taxes \$691.63, the town was ready to let go for \$200. There were no takers.

Purchasers were: Frank Duncan, Jr., estate, pt. lot 16, Simcoe St., plan 78, house No. 22, W. O. Carruthers, \$700. Edward Duncan, pt. lot 16, Simcoe St., plan 78, house No. 20, W. O. Carruthers, \$700.

Frank Duncan Sr., lot 14, Simcoe St., plan 78, house No. 17, Miss Lyons, \$485. Mrs. Agnes Dillman, lot 98, Eagle St., plan 81, house, Miss Lyons, \$500.

Louisa Dunn estate, pt. lots 22 and 23, Andrew St., house, Mrs. Blanche Travis, \$242.35. Bert Green, pt. lot 62, Timothy St., plan 81, house No. 16, Mrs. Alex. McKee, \$905.

Mrs. Patrick Hodgins, pt. lot 16, Huron St., plan 28, house No. 3, J. O. Little, \$866.52. Mrs. Nellie Irwin, pt. lot, W. S. Charlotte St., plan 22, house, Mrs. MacNaughton, \$400.

W. J. Lundy, lot 1, S. S. Lydia St., plan 85, house, Miss Lyons, \$810. Wesley Squires, pt. lot 75, Ontario St., plan 222, house No. 11, W. O. Carruthers, \$288.30. Myrtle Brillinger, lot 15, Arden Ave., plan 107A, town, \$277.74. Emerson Blair, lot 26, Hamilton St., plan 25, house No. 9, town, \$347.76.

Wm. Brown, pt. lot, Bruce St., town, \$84.65. Estate of Sarah Cotter, lots 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25, Huron St., plan 78, town, \$250.73. Estate of Sarah Cotter, lots 21, 22, 23, 24 and 26, N. Simcoe St., plan 78, town, \$92.48. Don Valley Brick Co., pt. lot 73, Ontario St., plan 222, town, \$503.47.

Mrs. Lucy Haskett (David Fardy), pt. lot 10, Ontario St., house No. 6, town, \$1,127.56. Mrs. Maud Hatch, pt. lot 5, W. Prospect, house No. 23, town, \$1,865.84.

James Haskett, lots 10 and 11, Andrew St., plan 85, town, \$577.26. John Johnson, pt. lot 14, W. S. Ellen St. and N. S. Andrew St., town, \$191.50.

John Johnson, pt. lots 15 and 16, S. S. Eagle St., plan 85, town, \$257.28. N. Kaplan, pt. lot 16, W. S. Prospect St., plan 15, town, \$1,202.35.

Pearl and G. Millard, lots 10 and 20, W. S. Second St., plan 85, town, \$80.12. J. J. McDonald, pt. lot 25, Charles St., plan 125, house, town, \$601.35.

Gertrude Peters estate, pt. lot 20, W. S. Niagara St., plan 78, town, \$185.37. Florence E. Richardson, pt. lot 10, E. S. Prospect St., plan 22, town, \$200.82.

W. E. Richardson, pt. lot 14, W. S. Prospect St., plan 81, town, \$253.76. Elizabeth Richardson, lots 75, 76, 120 to 135 inclusive, Connaught Gardens, town, \$574.17.

Richardson Travis (C. Smith), pt. lot 16, N. S. Andrew St., plan 85, town, \$308.35. Constance Tunney, pt. lots 12 and 13, S. S. Andrew St., plan 88, town, \$220.42.

R. H. Osborne estate, pt. lots 7 and 8, Main St., plan 222, house, town, \$1,382.80. J. R. Wallington, lot 46, N. S. Vole Ave., plan 117, town, \$218.46.

R. S. Williams & Son, lots 3 and 4, N. S. Gorham St. and S. Lydia St., plan 85, town, \$691.63. E. M. Ward, lot, W. S. Indian

TRY IT THE "SALADA" WAY
Infuse 6 heaping teaspoons of Salada Black Tea in a pint of fresh, boiling water. After 6 minutes strain liquid into 2-quart container, while hot, add 1 to 1½ cups of sugar and juice of 2 lemons, strained; stir until sugar is dissolved; fill container with cold water. Do not allow tea to cool before adding cold water or liquid will become cloudy. Serve with chopped ice. The above makes 7 tall glasses.

"SALADA"
ICED TEA

Rd., town, \$124.36. Anna B. Menzie, lots 62, 63 and 64, Indian Rd., town, \$99.39. Anna B. Menzie, lot 119, Roxborough Rd., town, \$66.28.

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TORONTO MARKETS
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A few good weighty steers made a top of \$6.50, but the majority sold at between \$6 to \$6.25. Medium quality fed calves brought \$6.75 to \$7, while good to choice veal calves were \$9 to \$9.50.

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WANT-ADS

The rate for Want Ads is 25 cents for 25 words for one insertion; 40 cents for two insertions; 50 cents for three insertions. For over 25 words, each additional word, one insertion, one cent, additional insertions, one-half cent per insertion.

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For sale—One settee and chair, with woodwork and upholstery in good condition. A bargain for quick sale. Phone Newmarket 615. c1w23

For sale—Extension table. Also fresh raspberry sprouts, everbearing. 15 Wesley St. *1w29

Articles for sale—Rubber goods, sundries, etc., mailed postpaid in plain, sealed wrapper. 50 per cent less than retail. Write for mail-order catalogue. Nov-Rubber Co., Dept. W-53, Box 91, Hamilton, Ont. c6w28

For sale—Collie pups. Apply W. R. Richmond, Queensville. t116

WANTED TO BUY

Wanted—Used duck decoys and duck boat. Please give prices. Write Era box 123. c2w23

FOR RENT

For rent—Apartment, 9 Tecumseh St., conveniences. *2w29

For rent—Bright, comfortable room, with fireplace. For lady. Meals optional. Write Era Box 126. c1w29

For rent—Four roomed apartment. Conveniences. Apply E13 box 127. c8w29

Farm to rent—100 acres east half of 2nd con. of Whitechurch, lot 13. Fair buildings. Plenty of water. Apply Richard Wilton, R.R. 1, Gormley, Ont. *2w29

For rent—One garage, 31 Millard Ave. \$150 monthly. Possession Sept. 1. Apply Mrs. R. Graves, 21 Millard Ave. *1w27

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Wanted to rent—From 100 to 150 acre farm with buildings in good condition. Plenty of water. Apply to Leslie Cain, Sharon R. 2, Ont. t125

Wanted to rent—5 to 50 acres. Fair buildings. Reasonably close to Newmarket. Write Era box 124. c3w23

HELP WANTED

Help wanted—Experienced woman wanted for general housework. Plain cooking. Two children. Apply Era box 130. c1w29

Help wanted—Middle-aged woman or girl, 20 years or over. All conveniences in the home. One who would appreciate a good home rather than big wages. Apply Era box 128. c1w29

Help wanted—A reliable girl for general housework in small town. Just one member, an invalid. Reasonable wage. Write Box 25, Queensville P. O., Ont. *1w29

WORK WANTED

Work wanted—Preferably carpentry, but will take any kind of work. Apply 163 Main St. *1w29

Work wanted—A good capable girl desires a position for housework. Apply to 17 Raglan Street. c1w29

FARM ITEMS

For sale—Double-boarded frame chicken pen, 16' x 20', in good condition. Reasonable. Apply Post Office Box 541, Aurora. *1w29

Seed Wheat For Sale—Dawson's Golden Chaff seed wheat. Some of the purest and finest seed we have ever grown. Gov. standard No. 1. 70c; Reg. No. 1, 85c; F.O.B., Keswick. It pays to sow the best and assure yourself of profitable crops at present prices. Frank Marriott, Wm. Marriott, Keswick. *1w29

For sale—Little pigs, six weeks old. John Maurer, Holland Landing-Sharon Road, on Second St., at north-west corner. *8w29

For sale—Seed wheat, Dawson's Golden Chaff. Good and clean. 70c per bushel. B. W. Howard, Newmarket, Phone 161-w-3. c2w29

For sale—1 Bay Gelding, 3-year-old, broken to work. Phone Newmarket, 616. c3w29

LOST

Lost—Thoroughbred Scotch Terrier, jet black, very small for this breed, from Bradford, on Saturday night. Reward, F. A. Sewrey, Box 218, Bradford. *1w29

MISCELLANEOUS

Radio service—Prompt, efficient service on all makes of radios. Joe Gladman, Newmarket, phone 521. *4w28

VALCLOSE KENNELS
Dogs clipped, washed and manured. Boarded by the day, week or month. Terms reasonable. Mr. Basil Watson, 21 Main St., opposite cemetery gates. c1w27

SALE REGISTER

Saturday, Aug. 26—Auction sale contents of 8-roomed house. Jas. Reiter, next to Moon's garage, Keswick, at 2 p.m. D.S.T. Frank Kavanagh, auctioneer. c1w29

Era printers spare no pains to make every job attractive.

BUILDS APARTMENTS

Dr. L. W. Dales is constructing two modern apartments in the upper floors of his large Main St. residence.

NEW PUPILS SHOULD REGISTER ON AUG. 30

An advance registration of children who will begin school for the first time, and for those who have moved to Newmarket during the holidays and are not yet registered here, will be conducted at each of the three public schools on Wednesday, Aug. 30, at 10 a.m. H. A. Jackson, principal, informed The Era this week.

In the event of children being out of town, it will be sufficient if the names and attendant data are submitted. School re-opens for the fall term on Tuesday, Sept. 5.

BIRTHS

Burns—On Aug. 21, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Burns (nee Hazel McCordick, R. N.) 165 Aileen Ave., Toronto, a son, Donald Ross.

DEATHS

Brooks—After a lingering illness at his home, Mount Albert, on Friday, Aug. 18, Charles Brooks, husband of Violet Oldham and dear father of Mrs. Everton Quibell, in his 77th year. The funeral service was held at his late home on Monday afternoon. Interment Mount Albert cemetery.

Campbell—At the York County hospital, Newmarket, on Friday, Aug. 18, Hugh Campbell, late of the second concession, Markham township, in his 80th year.

The funeral was held on Monday at Richmond Hill. Interment St. John's cemetery, Oak Ridge. Muir—Suddenly, at Newmarket, on Saturday, Aug. 19, John George Muir, husband of the late Mary Elizabeth Ough, and father of Mrs. William Howarth, Toronto; Mrs. J. R. Teasdale and Mrs. Herman Gilroy, Newmarket, and son of the late Alexander Muir, in his 81st year.

The funeral service was held at the chapel of Roadhouse and Rose, on Monday afternoon. Interment Aurora cemetery.

Proctor—On Tuesday, Aug. 22, at the home of her brother, Harry, Mary (Minnie) Proctor, daughter of the late William and Susannah Proctor.

Funeral service in Toronto on Thursday afternoon. Interment Proctor's cemetery, 8th concession, King (near Schomberg).

In Memoriam

JOHN GEORGE MUIR
Mourn not for him, but let him rest.

'Twas God ordained it so
To take him to the land of bliss
From earthly cares below.

Sad was his fate and deep regret
Fills every citizen's heart.
His day is done, life's battle won.
The best of friends must part.

Weep not for him, his end but gives
A warning to us all.
Be ye prepared, we know not when
The Hand of Death may call.

We sympathize with those bereft
Of one they loved so dear,
A brother, and a family left
To shed the parting tear.

Knoutap Laddie
(Joseph Millsip)
1 Edison Ave., Toronto

Wilton—In loving memory of our dear mother, Mary Ann Wilton, who fell asleep August 22, 1935. We do not forget her, we love her too dearly.

For her memory to fade from
our lives like a dream;
Our lips need not speak when our
hearts mourn sincerely,
For grief often dwells where it
seldom is seen.
In our home she is fondly remembered,
Sweet memories cling to her
name;
Those who loved her in life sincerely
Still love her in death just the
same.
Ever remembered by son, wife,
and family.

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NEWMARKET WEDDING IS PRETTY EVENT

A wedding of great interest took place last week when Mavis Sparling, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Gerald Wainman, and Austin J. Brammar, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brammar, were the principals. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents. Photograph by courtesy of Budd Studio.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

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—Mrs. J. Edwards and daughter, Jean, have returned to Toronto after having spent the past week with her mother, Mrs. J. Evans.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Ruddock, Messrs. Beverley and Melvin Ruddock and Misses Myrtle and Phyllis Ruddock spent the weekend at Balm Beach and Midland.

—Mrs. E. R. Brown and family of Beaverton are spending a few days with Mrs. Brown's sister, Mrs. S. Rose.

—Miss Yvonne Lavoie of Milton has been spending the past two weeks with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Prest. Miss Alva Runciman of North Bay spent the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Morris.

—Mrs. Shier of Bracebridge, Mrs. Middlebrook, Kingston, and Misses Robinson and Miss Woolsey of Perth Road were weekend guests of Mrs. Wm. Webster.

—Mrs. Walter Meddick of Toronto spent a few days last week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Prest.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. Rose of Sudbury are spending a few days with Mrs. Rose's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. S. Rose.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Widdifield and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stallard spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Watson at Island Grove.

—Master Garnet Trivett is spending a few days with his cousin, Mrs. Bruce Bishop, Welland.

—Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Tod and Mr. Jim Tod have returned home from their cottage at Lake Simcoe.

—Mr. George Browne of New York City has returned home after spending the past five weeks with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Tod.

—Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Staples and baby daughter, Patricia, and Mr. and Mrs. Holdsworth and daughter, Norma, of Toronto, spent Friday with Mrs. Staples' mother, Mrs. J. E. B. Wilson.

—Mrs. Edward Gould, Miss Helen Gould and Mr. Cecil Gould spent a couple of days last week in Rochester, N. Y.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fogal, Mr. Moss Fogal, Misses Marie, Frances and Ina Fogal and Miss Audrey Farquhar of Port Huron, Mich., are spending this week with Messrs. Frank and Moss Fogal's mother, Mrs. W. Fogal.

—Miss Norn McIntosh is attending the executive young people's camp of the United Church at Sparrow Lake this week.

—Miss Helen McBride is spending a week's vacation in Montreal.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith and family are vacationing near Langford on Lake Couchiching.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Macphedran, Glen Ridge, New Jersey, and Dr. and Mrs. Percy McKinnon, Guelph, were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Johns.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. White and Peter, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Adams are motoring to Sault Ste. Marie, returning by Detroit.

—Mrs. George Vale sailed from Montreal last week for a visit of a few weeks in England.

—Miss Eva Marshall returned to Toronto on Sunday after a week's holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Marshall.

—Mrs. A. T. Emerick of Kent, Ohio, spent last week with her aunt, Mrs. Freeman Lloyd.

—Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Perrin and Mr. Charles Bunn are spending this week in Montreal visit-

ing Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tedford and Mrs. Perrin's daughter, Miss Grace Gee.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. Rachar and family, of London, returned home on Sunday after having spent the past week with Mr. Rachar's brother, Mr. C. C. Rachar, Millard Ave.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Holmes and family are spending the weekend in St. Catharines with their parents.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Holmes spent last weekend at Orillia at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Stevens.

Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Grose announce the engagement of their daughter, Marguerite, to Mr. Geo. Walsh of Mount Albert, the marriage to take place early in September.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. Frank Draper and family desire to thank the doctors, nurses and friends in Coniston, Newmarket, Keswick and vicinity for the many kindnesses shown them at the time of the death of their son and brother, Aubrey Nyle Draper.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. Stanley Barker and his wife wish to express their sincere appreciation to their friends and neighbors for expressions of sympathy and kindness shown in their recent sad bereavement.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late J. G. Muir wish to express their deep appreciation to many friends for flowers and kind expressions of sympathy during their recent sudden loss and bereavement.

GREAT DIESEL ENGINE NOW PROVIDES POWER

The new Diesel installation at the feed mill of J. A. Perks, Huron St., has been completed and is in use.

The Diesel engine is interesting to inspect. The Diesel engine burns furnace fuel oil, and differs from the gasoline engine principally in that the oil is self-igniting under high compression.

Two great tanks of water of 300 gallons each connected with the engine are its cooling system. A small tank holding 20 gallons of oil is supplied by a pump from larger tanks and holds more than one day's fuel.

The Diesel engine will provide the mill with power at a cost estimated to be half the cost of electric power formerly purchased from the town.

Asked how much grain he could put through his mill, Mr. Perks said that using a fine screen he can handle a ton in an hour and with a coarse screen twice that much.

Mr. Perks renovated his premises in the winter to provide extra space, and greater convenience for customers, and has now erected a driving-shed for the comfort of horses in the winter-time.

NAME OMITTED

In the Newmarket high school middle school results published last week the name of Geo. Hewson was omitted. Mr. Hewson's standing is as follows: A. H. 2, A. 1, Chem. 2, L. A. 2, L. C. 2, F. A. C. 2.

Redmen's Tide Of Fortune Goes Up, Down, Then Over

GOOD TURN-OUT OF FANS PLAYS PART IN NEW-MARKET WIN

By JACK PEPPIATT

After losing a seven-run lead piled up in the first four innings, Newmarket Redmen pulled the second game of their play-off jaunt with Richmond Hill out of the fire with a two-run barrage in the eighth.

It was a slug-fest all the way, as the 13-11 score indicated.

A record Thursday night crowd was on hand to help the locals stave off elimination. Webster and VanZant were the battery pair for the locals and Bennett and Creane started off for the Hill.

At the outset the Indians took the lead on a home run by Cunningham, who batted in Gibney. There was no more scoring until the third stanza when Newmarket enjoyed a six-run spurge.

Hilton bunted safely to start this canto and advanced to second on an overthrow. A hunt by Gibney then put two men on base. Cunningham, next up, doubled to centre field, sending Gibney and Hilton across the plate. Bennett gave up the ghost at this juncture and Stong came into the box. However, the parade continued and Trivett, Cunningham, VanZant and Cain scamped home.

After this orgy the south benders' murderers' row of Saul, Bennett and Brown swung into action. They chalked up four runs in the fourth, two in the fifth and seventh and three in the eighth to come even with the locals.

The break of the game came in the eighth, riding on the leather of a home run by Harv. Gibney. VanZant then salted the decision with a double and steal home.

Stars were hard to pick out but the confident work of Alex. Webster stood out. The whole squad of Indians danced the dance of victory after this struggle.

GIRLS LOSE

Alex. Webster's girl softballers lost out to a crack Lindsay team in a tournament at Laskay on Saturday. Newmarket held Lindsay to a 3-2 score at the end of the third inning, but the game finished 15-2.

BUGLERS NOW HAVE TWO GAMES IN THEIR PORTFOLIOS, PLAY AGAIN ON FRIDAY EVENING

By JACK PEPPIATT

Crippled by the loss of regular players the tannery softball squad went down to a 9-8 defeat administered by the bugle band nine Monday night. A good crowd saw the second game of this final town play-off get under way.

"Shorty" Turan, the main cog in the tannery machine was sorely missed in the backstop position. Home-run Edgar was also out of the line-up.

The buglers established an early lead with Gunn and Wright crossing the plate in the opening frame and Gunn, Wright, Everest and Ruddock countering in the fourth. The ball game was won in the fifth when three band men put their names in print.

Everest, first up, was safe at the front door slot on a grounder to McComb. Ruddock hit safely and Everest advanced to third.

PEPPER AND SALT

BY "PEP"

The Redmen square off at six forty-five tonight with the south benders. Play-off rules require a full nine-inning game and this is a means of insurance for your enjoyment. Bleacher seats are at a premium at the crack of the starting-gun, so get yours early. A protest has been rung up regarding the leather company and Bugle Band contest Monday, which was won by the R. S. A. The tanners declared that several of their best players were necessarily out of the line-up.

The absence of Shorty Turan, the human dynamo, was felt all round. However, since the game was okay according to Hoyle, the appeal will be probably thrown out. The buglers are two up right now and need only one victory to clinch the honors.

IMPERIAL OIL MAN MOVES TO TOWN

Art Smith, Imperial Oil agent, and Mrs. Smith have moved to Newmarket from Markham and are living at 38 Prospect St.

BUILDS NEW HOME

David Riddell has started to lay the foundation of a new home on Botsford St., next to Reilly's, this week.

RESERVE THIS DATE

Reserve the date, Friday, Oct. 13, for the Women's Institute fair to be held in the town hall, afternoon and evening.

WIN LENNOX CUP

On Aug. 14, at the local bowling green, a team composed of Harry Marshall, lead, F. H. Hewson, Charles Near and Stanley Jones, skip, defeated the team of Harry Helmer, lead, Vaughan Goring, Steve Rose and Herb Wiley, skip, for the Lennox Memorial cup.

STORM BREAKS OVER HEADS OF TANNERS

By JACK PEPPIATT

Riding the crest of a ten-run spurge in the fourth inning, a fence-busting Bugle Band array defeated the tannery by a 13-12 count last Friday. It was the first game in the town finals and a good crowd was on hand.

It looked as if the tanners were going to breeze through the game, the first four innings. Edgar scored in the second, six runners crossed the platter in the third and four runs were chalked up in the first half of the fourth.

Up till then Cap Fairey had round-tripped and Preston scored in the second for the only R. S. A. runs.

The storm broke in the fourth when ten buglers reached those distant shores. Preston doubled to start the inning and was knocked in on Ruddock's triple.

Haskett fled to brother Bill in centre field and Ruddock came in after the catch. Blight smacked out a two-bagger to left field and Dobbie walked to put two men on base. A single by Gunn sent Blight and Dobbie home. Fairey, Everest, Preston and Ruddock completed the parade in that inning.

This tied the score and the game wasn't decided until the last half of the seventh. Jerry Blight ran out the third strike to first. Then Jack Wright sent the winning run across with a blazing single.

There wasn't much to choose between the two squads but the luck of the game favored the buglers. They were an all-star array as far as picking out standouts were concerned. Bennett and Turan were the pick of the tanners.

This victory gives the Bugle Band a decided edge in their three-out-of-five series with Davis Leather. The heat is on from here on.

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IS ORDAINED

Eric de Pendleton of Toronto, who is well-known in Newmarket, where he has addressed the Lions Club and the British-Israel Federation, was recently ordained as a minister of the Church of England at Christ Church, Shaw St., Toronto.

MARKS 88TH BIRTHDAY

Born on the second concession of Whitechurch, of Irish parents, William Kerr of King celebrated his 88th birthday this week. He lives with his son, Abram Kerr, on the second concession, at Strangle.



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Tannery Loses First Of Town League Finals, 11-10

STAGE SEVEN-RUN RALLY IN FINAL INNING BUT LOSE GAME

Spreading their hits into four innings, the town team just managed to nose out the tannery by an 11-10 margin on Wednesday night in the first completed game for the championship series, a best three-out-of-five affair.

Feature of the game was the startling come-back by the tannery squad who, faced with an 8-3 loss in the eighth inning, put seven runs across in the ninth and the town had to work hard to get the winning edge, on a homer by Heaney.

There was no scoring until the fourth inning when the tannery tallied with W. White, Hodgins and Brown, and the town clicked with Pattenden, McDonald and Lloyd.

The town took two more in the fifth when Pattenden and Lloyd crossed the plate, the lat-

CONTINUE WITH TOWN LEAGUE BALL FINALS

The town and tannery teams play their second game of the final play-offs in the town park on Friday night. So far the teams appear closely matched, with plenty of hitting power in both squads.

ter with a homer, and tucked in another three runs in the eighth on the hitting of Muggford, Heaney and McMain. McMain's effort was a four-base hit.

The tannery hammered pitcher Bill Bone for seven runs in the ninth. Kidd, R. White, Lustic, W. White, Hodgins, Walker and West crossing the plate.

Three runs gave the town their one-run margin in the final inning. Pattenden and McDonald coming in with Heaney, who knocked out a homer.

Walker pitched steadily for the tannery.

Foundry Eliminated By 7-4 Decision In Friday Tussle

HOMERS BY HODGINS AND WHITE GIVE TANNERY MARGIN

In one of the smartest exhibitions of softball offered by the town league this year, the tannery squad took the third of its semi-final play-offs with the foundry team by a score of 7-4, on Friday, to go on into the finals against the town team.

The tannery proved a little stronger on the hitting end, and homers by Ray White and George Hodgins put them in the winning spot. It might easily have been the other way, as the foundry lads showed plenty of fight in every inning.

The foundry took an early lead and by the second inning they were going ahead on a 2-0 margin. The tannery evened it up in the third, however, when Wilf White delivered a two-bagger which was followed by Hodgins' homer.

The iron men, after a scoreless fourth, took the lead again in the fifth, when Hayes coasted across home plate with Cook on the latter's home run. Michanuk delivered a run for the tannery, leaving the foundry ahead by 4-3.

There was no score in the sixth and seventh innings, and it began to look as if the foundry had something in that 4-3 lead.

The tannery's half of the eighth presented a different picture. Burtenshaw, helped by a fumble, went to second, coming home on Brown's single. Both Brown and Kidd came home on Ray White's homer, and the score was 7-4 at the end of the eighth, with the foundry unable to do anything about it in the ninth.

Previously, each team had taken a win by a decisive margin, and Friday's win gave the tannery the right to enter the finals.

HOLD LIFE-SAVING CONTEST AT MONSTER Y. P. U. ANNUAL PICNIC AT SIBBALD'S POINT

The annual picnic of the young people's unions of the Toronto centre north presbytery of the United Church was held at Camp Ahshunyoong, Sibbald's Point, last Thursday afternoon with 225 in attendance. Nearly every union in the presbytery was represented.

Victoria Square union, who won 13 points in the various sports events, was awarded the first prize. Mount Pisgah union was second with 12 points and Pottageville was third with eight points. Temperanceville, Glenville and Queensville were tied for fourth place, with seven points each.

The sports events were conducted by the recreation convenors, Marvin Hunter, Laskay, and Fred Dew, Queensville. Murray Huntley, Queensville, was chairman of the picnic committee and others who assisted him were: Vera Hunter, Laskay, president of the presbytery; Hilda Patton, King City, and Marion Burkholder, Queensville.

Following the picnic supper an exhibition ball game was played between Sharon and Mount Pisgah. The sing-song was conducted by Vera Clarke, Aurora, with Mildred Follitt, Temperanceville, at the piano. The musical program, given by several people from different unions, was interspersed with stunts.

Rev. Dr. E. J. Thompson, Aurora, gave the address at the worship service.

The closing event of the picnic

was a large corn roast held on the lakeshore. Following are the results of the various races: Boys' swim, Mount Pisgah; girls' swim, Queensville; chariot race, Mount Pisgah; ankle race, Victoria Square; shoe kick, Teston; life-saving, five unions tied, Glenville, Victoria Square, Mount Pisgah, Wesley and Temperanceville; honeymoon race, Glenville; thread needle race, Pottageville; newspaper race, Queensville, and girls' candy scramble, Wesley.

TENNIS CLUB PLANS OPEN TOURNAMENT

Members of the Aurora Tennis Club will hold an open tournament on Saturday, Sept. 9, to include players from Aurora and district. Play will commence at 1 p.m.

Events will consist of ladies', men's and mixed doubles. The club tournaments are taking place immediately, and all members interested in club championships are requested to play off their matches as soon as possible. Delayed matches will be defaulted, it is stated.

The Aurora Tennis Club is entertaining members of the Pickering club on Saturday in a series of senior and junior matches. They are also entertaining Midland netsters on Sept.

8.

ABOUT TOWN

SPEED TRAP

Definition—Law: Body of enacted or customary rules recognized by a community as binding.

And the law in Ontario is that highway traffic may pass through towns and cities at no higher speed than 30 miles an hour. All motorists know this. To jog their memory, the provincial department of highways has posted warnings wherever a 30-mile limit is to be observed. To make the matter even more clear, the town of Aurora has erected extra signs which should serve to remind even the most absent-minded of motorists.

It should be obvious, therefore, that any motorist going through Aurora at a speed in excess of 30 miles an hour is deliberately, knowingly, flouting the law. More—he is in many instances driving to the common danger.

In the face of the two warnings placed at the edge of Aurora on Yonge St., and in view of the knowledge of the traffic act demanded of every motorist, this town cannot be called a speed-trap. Let's have that understood.

COMMON SENSE

However, it can be admitted that, whereas a speed of 30 miles an hour is needed in Aurora's shopping district, where people are constantly crossing and recrossing the street—it is not in the same degree necessary on the outskirts of the town where there are no shops, and where the few houses are mainly on one side of the road.

The motorist unconsciously realizes the fact that there is no pedestrian traffic at the edges of the town and still unconsciously, it may be—tends to "speed up."

The fact that it is on the outskirts of the town that most motorists are "timed" for speeding is, we believe, the motorists' real grievance, and the grievance that has caused Aurora to be accused of operating a "speed trap."

Granted that the speed law is just as much in effect on the edge of the town as in the centre of it... the motorist feels that there is less need for enforcing the law at the outskirts.

If the town would have motorists summoned for speeding on the basis of their performance from Catherine St. to Kennedy St., we don't imagine the motorist would feel that he had any right to protest. If the constable stood on the pavement, in plain sight of motorists, near the corner of Wellington and Yonge Sts., and did his "timing" there, there would be less speeding, less summonses, less complaints—and a less dangerous Yonge St.

If this were done, fewer motorists would drop in on Aurora merchants to say that they had stopped to shop in Aurora for the last time.

If this is not done, then—fairly or unfairly—Aurora will continue to bear the brand, "speed trap."

We make no defence of speeding motorists. But in fairness to those whose business depends to some extent on the good-will of the motoring public—we suggest that town officials take steps to enforce the speeding law as fairly as possible... and stop the speeding where the speeding is most dangerous to Aurora citizens.

MATCH FACTORY

Last year the town council entered into an agreement with a newly-formed company concerning the building which at one time housed a match factory. Because the tax payments were not made, for some time the building had been in the possession of the town. It was gradually coming, by disuse and abuse, to the point where it would be useless. Instead of an asset to the town, it seemed likely to become a liability.

Under the agreement with the new company, the building remained in the possession of the town until the company proved it was a "going concern." Even then the town was protected if the company did not maintain its status. In addition the town got a firm that would pay taxes, water and light accounts. The building became a source of revenue, rather than an expense. In addition, the company immediately showed its good faith by cleaning up the building, repairing, painting, roofing and replacing the many broken windows.

In other respects, the company—meeting unforseen obstacles in other directions—did not manage to become a "going concern" in the time limit named in their contract with the town.

It is to be hoped, however, that this year's council will continue the spirit of co-operation evidenced by the council last year, and give the company

NO REEVE?

--- Editorial

"Reeve" J. A. Knowles, more accurately described as deputy probation officer of York county juvenile and domestic relations court, is going on a "three months' leave of absence," it is reported. The reason given is that it will avoid another election.

Actually, there is no need for Mr. Knowles to take leave of absence... he is no longer reeve of Aurora. Immediately he entered the paid employment of the county he was automatically debarred from acting as a county representative for this town.

Council should, with equal promptness, have moved to arrange for the nomination of another reeve.

That council has neglected to fulfil its duties in this regard is another of the many indications given this year that some of its members are afraid to come before the people in an election. The only elections held in Aurora this year have been one for the post of mayor, and in January for the posts of reeve and deputy-reeve.

If the post of reeve was worth calling an election for in January, it was worth an election in July.

The present plan of sending the quasi-reeve on a three-months' leave of absence will, the council doubtless plan, carry the matter over into November, when it will not be necessary to call an election for the purpose of supplying a new reeve.

The three-months' leave of absence is an admission by council that the reeve is no longer qualified. Mr. Knowles' willingness to pull the council's chestnuts out of the fire does credit to his good sportsmanship, but there is also a principle involved.

He was out of the reeve's chair in July, when his name went on the York county payroll. The council knew this.

Why, then, the failure to do the right thing? Why the continued fear of allowing public opinion to express itself? The manner of spending money this year will not support the hesitancy in spending \$75 (mostly in wages) for an election.

Or does the controlling group in council expect that by the time the year ends the voters will have forgotten the manner in which they have conducted town business this year? If so, we trust they will be disappointed.

HOLD STREET DANCE TONIGHT

Tonight is the night, so far as the Aurora Boys' Band is concerned. With Russ Creighton and his Canadian Mountaineers, they will entertain at a street dance.

And in company with three other bands, they will stage a

band carnival, highlight of which will be the presentation of medals won at the Waterloo Festival recently.

Lured by a desire to support the youngsters and by the prospect of winning numerous cash prizes, a goodly number are planning to attend the affair.

Shirley Fingold, Owen Richards Lead In Tennis

YOUNGSTERS SHOW SKILL IN JUNIOR TENNIS TOURNAMENT

The Aurora tennis courts saw plenty of action on Friday when ordinary club activities gave way to the junior tournament. The style of play proved that Aurora had a fine bunch of tennis stars in the making and pointed to the value of encouraging younger players.

Shirley Fingold proved to be the girls' singles champion, eliminating Mary Bowman and Valencia and Carol McNaught for that honor. In the boys' singles Owen Richards took top place, with Kenyon Davies and L. Doolittle as runners-up.

Owen Richards and Shirley Fingold won the mixed doubles trophy, while Richards teamed with Kenyon Davies for top spot in the boys' doubles. Shirley Fingold teamed with Mary Bowman to take first place in the girls' doubles.

Detailed results were as follows:

Girls' Doubles
First round: S. Fingold, M. Bowman, bye; B. Walker, M. Saigle defeated V. McNaught, S. Saigle, 6-3; B. Saigle, M. McKen (Page 8, Col. 5)

KING

COUPLE WILL LIVE IN KING TOWNSHIP

A quiet wedding took place on Saturday, Aug. 19, at the United Church parsonage, King, when Elizabeth Ada, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Sloan of Kleinberg, became the bride of Harold Remington Dooks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dooks of King.

Rev. Douglas G. Davis performed the ceremony. The bride wore her travelling costume, a gown of teal blue triple sheer over taffeta, with a corsage of pale pink roses, a large picture hat of white suede lace and ribbon and white accessories. The ensemble was completed by a three-quarter length coat of white flannel.

Following the ceremony they left for a trip to points in northern Ontario and on their return will reside on the groom's farm on the seventh concession of King township.

every opportunity to establish itself as a wage-paying plant. On the part of the council, patience is needed... patience and the knowledge that new firms do not grow on trees, and that a bird in the hand—in the shape of the dehydrating company—is worth the proverbial two birds in the bush.

—J. F. W.

JOSEPH HOLMAN IS GIVEN RECOGNITION FOR RESCUE WORK

Because of the modesty of a member of Aurora's fire brigade, The Era has been robbed for a month or so of one of the best stories of the year.

Joseph Holman is the fireman without the desire for publicity, and his rescue of a three-year-old child from a burning cottage is the story.

It was not until this week, when a silver cup, engraved "Presented to Joseph Holman for bravery," was delivered to Fire Chief Frank Rowe, that the story was brought to the attention of The Era.

The location of the story was Point-Au-Baril. The time was June 28. Sitting on the beach, Mr. Holman heard a call of "fire," and saw smoke pouring from a nearby cottage. Screams of a terrified mother told him of the situation and, covering his nose with a handkerchief, he ran into the cottage and rescued the three-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. J. Barclay of Tonawanda.

On being questioned at the time, the rescuer stated he was a member of the volunteer fire brigade in Aurora, and the recognition for his bravery came from the association of fire brigades.

Rescuing is no new thing for Mr. Holman, however. In 1934 he was presented with a silver medal for courage displayed in another rescue.

Mr. Holman first became acquainted with first aid and rescue work when he made use of an opportunity to study a St. John's Ambulance course while convalescing in a hospital during the last war.

MANY ENJOY SUNDAY BOYS' HAND CONCERT

Following their band concert in the town park on Sunday evening, the Aurora Junior band received donations amounting to over \$30. The concert, under the direction of Bandmaster Robert Moore, was thoroughly enjoyed by a large number of people.

King

Ten members of the Y. P. U. attended the annual presbytery picnic held at Camp Ahshunyoong last Thursday.

The Y. P. U. of Laskay, Teston and King are sponsoring a union picnic for old and young to be held on Friday, Aug. 25, at Ferndale Park. There will be a program of water and ground sports and a picnic supper. The

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. E. Beatty of Gravenhurst visited Mrs. H. Bain on Sunday. Mrs. Beatty is spending the week with her mother.

Miss Nan Carolan of Toronto is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Carolan, Temperanceville.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Andrews and daughter, Catherine, are spending a few days with Mrs. Andrews' brother and family at Nobel.

Miss Jean Fry is having a week's holiday with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Whitelaw have returned from a motor trip to Sault Ste. Marie.

Mrs. J. Walton and family of Chicoutimi, Que., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sheppard. Miss E. M. Blake is holidaying near Orangeville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. L. Fleury and family spent Sunday in Midland.

Miss Dorothy Foote and her brother, Harold, are spending a few days with their uncle, Mr. B. Foote, of Richmond Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Powell visited at Woodland Beach on Sunday.

Mrs. C. J. Devins, Elizabeth and Bill, have returned from Big Chief Lodge, Orillia, where they have been holidaying for six weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Milgate have returned from a trip to New York and the World's Fair.

A group of lads including Norm. Foster, Harold Foster, Cliff Chapman, Tom Raeside, Russell Clubine and Frank Bailey bicycled to Oshawa on Sunday, where they had lunch with the cycle club there.

Miss L. Newton of Newmarket is spending a few days as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Walker, Wells St.

Rev. and Mrs. S. E. Harrington of Kingston were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Moore, Wells St., early this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Harrison and family spent the weekend in Happy Valley.

A group of friends of Miss Muriel Gibner held a surprise party in her honor on Tuesday.

Mrs. George Martin and daughter, Dorothy, spent the weekend with Mrs. F. Todd, Ross St.

Mrs. R. Pantner of Toronto visited her sister, Mrs. J. Gowan, for the weekend.

Miss Irene Braund has returned to her home on Spruce St. after spending some months in Toronto.

Mrs. R. Prentice and son have been visiting Mr. W. Malloy, Wells St.

Mrs. Ness of Montreal is visiting her sisters, Misses C. and M. Malloy, Catharine Ave.

Miss Vera Bryan, R. N., of Toronto, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. R. Bryan, Yonge St.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bowman and family are holidaying at present in Haliburton.

picnic is called for 1.30. Miss Hilda Patton has left to spend a week at the Sparrow Lake presbytery officers' camp. Miss Patton will fulfil the duties of librarian at this camp.

Mrs. Kerr of Toronto spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. James Patton.

Mrs. James Patton has just returned from a short vacation with friends.

Miss Mabel Rumble has returned home after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon McArthur of Milton.

Mr. John Dew, Sr., is back after a two weeks' vacation at their cottage near Lindsay.

Mr. John Dew, Jr., spent the weekend at the cottage.

Mrs. Robert Riddell of Toronto is visiting her son, Mr. John Riddell.

Miss Margaret Riddell is visiting a friend, Miss Mary Mills, Kettleby.

Miss Jean Middleton, Richmond Hill, spent the week as the guest of Miss Hilda Patton.

Temperanceville Y. P. U. lost the final baseball game to Wesley at Mount Pisgah. The score was 0-2.

W. C. Fox, Huntsville, driving north on Yonge St., piled his car into the rear of an auto driven by George Lamb, a carpenter employed in a local building company, as it pulled out from the curb.

Mr. Lamb's car was driven up on the sidewalk in front of the Hotel Aurora by the force of the crash. He sustained a slight in-

"Speed Trap" Probe Sought To Justify Aurora's Policing

ONLY MOTORISTS EXCEEDING 40 MILES CHECKED OFFICER SAYS

MERCHANTS BACK CHIEF

Citing a case of a motorist who went through the centre of Aurora's business section at a speed of 56 miles an hour, Police Chief Fisher Dunham declared his intention in an Era interview, of protecting Aurora children and grown-ups, too, from the traffic hazard on Yonge St.

The fairness of Chief Dunham's speed law enforcement was demonstrated in Newmarket police court on Tuesday, when, out of 23 cases listed by him, all showed a speed of 43 miles an hour or higher. Only ten per cent appeared to defend themselves.

"If I wanted to be mean, I could go out near the provincial speed sign near St. Andrew's College, and time the speeders there," the chief said.

He stated that most of his checking-up had occurred near the centre of the town, where residences lined both sides of the street, and near the spot where Aurora lost one of its foremost citizens last summer.

"We have asked the attorney-general's department for an immediate investigation of the charges made by Ontario Motor League officials and we are confident the probe will show everything we have done is in the public interest," Mayor J. M. Walton states.

Mayor Walton, in company with A. N. Fisher, president of the Aurora board of trade, journeyed to Toronto shortly after the dailies of that city took up the cry against Aurora's law enforcement, in an effort to get the Ontario Motor League to either justify the charges or retract them.

The motor league blamed the papers, Mr. Fisher states, and the papers blamed the motor league. No favorable action has been taken by either, and Aur-

FLOWER SHOW WILL BE HELD SATURDAY

A flower show in which gladioli, asters, begonias, cosmos, dahlias, marigolds, larkspur, and nasturtiums will be displayed, will be held on Saturday in the basement of the Aurora United church.

ora's hopes are now placed on the probe.

Aurora business men back up the chief.

"They have no more right to speed through Aurora's Yonge St. than they have through Toronto's Yonge St.," declared F. D. Lacey. He thought a traffic light was much needed on the corner of Yonge and Wellington Sts.

J. F. Willis denied any implication that a speed trap might justify speedsters in any way.

"The speed limit is 30 miles an hour, whether the chief is around or not," he said. "The law should be enforced."

J. F. Morning was also for law enforcement but contributed the hope that motorists would be timed as near to the centre of the town as possible.

"The fact that a greater number of speedsters were checked this week is not the result of any attempt to 'hit back' on his part, Chief Dunham explained.

This week's total was 23, compared to 11 last week. But summonses for this week and next week were out before Warren Hastings, acting general manager of the Ontario Motor League, charged Aurora with operating a speed trap on toll-free lines.

The chief stated that he received no personal benefit for his endeavor to halt speeding in Aurora and further, that no member of council had asked him to either increase or decrease his activities along these lines.

It's his business to enforce the law, the chief contends.

Latest word in the matter is that an investigation into speed traps has been ordered by Attorney-General Arthur Conant.

Evicted Family Proves To Be Problem For Councillors

"SUITABLE" ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE FOR RELIEF

Despite the difficulty in finding suitable living quarters for a family of 15, town officials have managed to find a roof for the wife and family of Jack Egan who was evicted, for failure to pay rent, from the home in which the town had located him a year ago.

Relief for the Egan family has been administered by Whitelaw, The Era learned from John Crawford, clerk of that township, and the portion chargeable to the township has been paid by Aurora.

The house in which the family lived in Aurora a year ago was torn down, and a home was found in Oak Ridges. Whitelaw township does not pay for rent directly, leaving to the reliever to apportion the funds received by him.

Rent had not been paid for the Oak Ridges home for the past three months, and the family were evicted by those owning the house, and moved back to Aurora, where for the past few days they have been living in the dressing rooms of the arena.

Emergency food vouchers were secured by the town for the family. When the insurance company objected to the increased fire hazard to the arena, the property of the town, other arrangements were made.

Jury to his head, and the trunk of his car was smashed.

In the other car with Mr. Fox were J. H. Schott, also of Huntsville, and W. B. Madio, Gravenhurst. Dr. C. J. Devins was summoned and took the trio to the hospital for attention.

Damage of several hundred dollars, it is estimated, was done to the Huntsville car. Incidental damage included a broken hydraulic casing, the property of the town.

SCHOOL BOOK DELAYED

The second reader planned for use in the public school, will not be available until the middle of September. The Era learned from B. G. Whitelaw this week. The book will not be off the presses until that time.

A. H. S. UPPER SCHOOL RESULTS ARE GIVEN

Upper school results at Aurora high school were announced this week as follows:

Albion, L. E. C. 2; Ge. 1; Phys. 2; F. A. 2; F. C. 3; Ball, B. E. L. 2; E. C. 2; Hist. 2; Al. 1; Ge. 2;

SNOWBALL ESCAPES DEATH WHEN GRAVEL PIT CAVES IN

The many friends of Albert Farren will be pleased to know that he is making satisfactory progress after his miraculous escape from serious injury when the gravel pit where he was working caved in on him.

Alone at the time and almost buried by the gravel he was able to dig his way out with a jack-knife. He managed to drive his truck home, but has been in bed since the accident.

The Sunday-school picnic to Bayview Beach last week was well attended and a very nice outing enjoyed by those who were fortunate to attend.

Quite a number of young people from this community enjoyed Saturday afternoon at Lasky field day.

Misses Margaret and Norma Prentiss of Toronto are holidaying at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Bert Smith.

Misses Rhoda and Ruth Webb of Toronto spent the weekend at their home here.

Miss Margaret Riddell of King is visiting Miss Mary Mills this week.

Mrs. Lewis of Toronto is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lavelle.

The Young People's Society will hold their weekly meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harrison on Thursday evening next.

Mrs. Evans of Toronto spent the weekend with Miss Hazel Webb.

VICTORIA SQUARE HUGH CAMPBELL DIES IN HIS 80TH YEAR

Hugh Campbell, a life-long resident of this community, died in the York county hospital, Newmarket, on Friday last, in his 80th year. The funeral was held on Monday at Richmond Hill. Interment was in St. John's cemetery, Oak Ridges.

With the harvest now completed, threshing is the order of

the day in this community. Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Rumney and family and Boyd Mount attended their family reunions during the past week at Orillia and Midland respectively.

Miss Jean Rumney, a student at the O. A. C. Guelph, visited her brother, Dalton Rumney, recently, at the Square.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nicholls upon the birth of a baby boy.

Rev. Mr. Macdonald and family have returned home after spending a pleasant holiday in the north, and Mr. Macdonald has again taken up his duties as pastor of the United church.

The United church Y. P. U. meeting on Sunday evening was well attended. Viola Avison was in charge and Gerald Lyons, a former member, gave a splendid talk on "How to distinguish a Christian." Lorne Mortson, George Wellman and Bruce Empringham gave a delightful musical number on their guitars.

Quite a number of Y. P. U. members attended the presbytery picnic at Sibbald's Point on Thursday of last week and report an excellent time.

A corn roast, under the auspices of the Y. P. U., was held on Wednesday night at the Devil's Elbow, with a good crowd in attendance. Misses Mabel Sanderson, Mabel Caseley, Vera Nicholls and Messrs. Fraser Gee, Harold Wellman and Earl Empringham were the committee in charge of the program.

Miss Dorothy Gartshore of Sharon is holidaying at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Deavitt, this week.

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The August meeting of the W. A. will be held at the home of Mrs. Hodgins on Wednesday, Aug. 30.

SCHOMBURG LOCAL TEAM WINS BY NARROW MARGIN

Mrs. George Hulce and family spent a few days last week at Innisfil Park, Lake Simcoe.

The Presbyterian church held their annual congregational and Sunday-school picnic on Friday, Aug. 18, to Innisfil Park.

The local softball team won yet another game when they defeated the visitors from St. George 13-12 on Thursday night.

The group of ladies from the Women's Association of the United church is preparing to compete in the quilting contest at the C. N. E.

Mrs. Sparling visited her sister, Mrs. Cutting, at Pottageville last week.

The Anglican W. A. met in the church basement on Thursday afternoon for a quilting. There was a splendid turn-out of members.

Mrs. Thos. Brown is staying with her sister, Mrs. A. Greenlees, for some weeks.

Mr. I. Packer returned on Sunday from Wasaga Beach where he spent a week's holiday.

Miss Mary Gould visited friends in Guelph this week.

Miss Pring of Guelph has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pring recently.

Eversley

Rev. M. E. Burch expects to be back from his vacation for the service in Eversley church next Sunday evening.

Miss Ethel Ferguson is having a long vacation with friends in Woodville.

Mrs. Charles Cohen is not at all well and her many friends regret it exceedingly. She has always filled a large place and she is missed.

Eversley W. M. S. held their August meeting at the home of Mrs. A. B. Wells on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Walsh had charge of the program and contributed a good reading, as did Mrs. Jones also. Miss Jessie Gellatly and Miss Annie Ferguson sang a duet. After the program the missionary bazaar was packed. It contained a fine array of good warm quilts, a lot of beautifully knitted infants' garments, knitted by Miss Ethel Ferguson, and mittens for every member of the family, an array of children's garments, second-hand adults' clothing and Christmas gifts for the children.

On Thursday Mrs. Gellatly, Miss Jessie Gellatly, Miss A. A. Ferguson of King and Mrs. Hugh Ferguson of Aurora, motored to Stayner. They lunched at Cold Springs Park, Midhurst, and enjoyed the beauty of water, flowers and woods. Calling at the home of their cousins, the Burrows, near Stayner, they motored west to Creemore and through Dundas to the farm home of Mr. George Davidson and family.

The variety of scenery was wonderful. As they followed the winding highway to and beyond Creemore, they were in the Collingwood Mountains. Great hills loomed above. The road wound in curves following the winding course of the Noisy River, a tributary of the Nottawasaga River. Its stony bed was scarcely covered with water and above its banks the hills rose clad in shrubbery. It was beautiful. That part of the country had not the devastating hailstorm experienced in this neighborhood and the crops looked fine.

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VANDORF DISCUSS PROS, CONS OF PASTEURIZATION

There were 42 ladies and children at the Women's Institute meeting held at the home of Mrs. C. Richardson last Wednesday. Mrs. C. Richardson presided and after disposing of the business a very interesting discussion was held on pros and cons of pasteurization, led by Mrs. A. VanNostrand and Mrs. Ralph Willis. Mrs. Robert Brown received first prize for a dining-room bouquet. A lovely lunch was then served by the hostess.

Mrs. Ayre and her daughter, Mrs. Leash, of Toronto, called on Mrs. Chas. Bostwick on Friday.

Mrs. Earl Davis, Mr. Murray Davis, Miss Muriel Davis and Mrs. N. Bostwick, of Midland, spent Sunday with Mrs. Chas. Bostwick. Miss Olive Bostwick returned to Midland with them for two weeks' holidays.

Miss Mary Willis spent the weekend at Kenney's Bay on Kashe Lake, Muskoka.

Miss June Hill of Newmarket is visiting Miss Jean Willis.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Ross visited at Holt and Mount Albert on Sunday.

Pine Orchard

Mr. and Mrs. W. Galley and daughter, of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. F. Galley and son, of England, were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Lundy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Hall and Miss Alice of Sharon and Mr. and Mrs. N. Woon and son, Donnie, of South Porcupine, had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. H. McClure.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Allen and Miss O. Hutchinson of Stouffville were weekend visitors at Mr. Percy Hutchinson's.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Lundy attended a wedding in Toronto on Monday evening.

Miss H. Reid, R. N., of Toronto, is home for her holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Gladwell, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson of Hamilton had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. E. Lehman.

Miss Joan Steekley of Wilberforce is visiting her cousin, Miss Jacqueline Skinner.

Mrs. W. Arnold, June and Gordon are holidaying with Mrs. Arnold's sister, Mrs. G. Sprouton.

Rev. P. W. Currie of Toronto will preach at the Union church, Sunday, Aug. 27, at 11.15 a.m.

Hope

The church services will be held at the usual time on Sunday, church service at 9.45 and Sunday-school at 10.45 a.m. Mr. Milstead will be the speaker. Everyone is welcome at both services.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Micks, Mr. and Mrs. Elias Gibson and Verne visited Mr. and Mrs. W. Micks, Queensville, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Boyd were guests of Mrs. Mary Rolling, Mount Albert, on Sunday.

The community is sorry to learn that Mr. Harold Breen is in York county hospital. Mr. Breen underwent an appendix operation. A speedy recovery is hoped for.

Miss Blanche Stickwood and Miss Mildred Mitchell are holidaying at Clear View, Lake Simcoe.

Friends are glad to hear that Mr. Geo. Barker and Mrs. Leslie Mount are both improving nicely.

Pottageville

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. T. Jarvis of Moncton, N. B., are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. Jarvis.

Mrs. Dodge of Winnipeg, Man., and friend, from Toronto, visited Mrs. D. Emmerson last week. Mrs. Emmerson returned to Toronto with them to stay a few days.

The Y. P. U. met as usual last Wednesday evening. The meeting was in the charge of John Wilson, the Christian citizenship convener. The scripture, taken from Matthew 6, 1-14, was read by Leiland Paton. Miss Verma Houghton gave a reading, "The Cross of Christ."

Mr. H. Stone and sons, Jack and George, rendered two much-enjoyed selections on their accordions, with Mr. Stone singing.

The topic was given by Ed. Houghton, on Christian citizenship, "The Life of Billy Sunday."

The Y. P. U. enjoyed the picnic at Camp Abshinyong at Sibbald's Point, Lake Simcoe, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Lawrence of Toronto spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Williams.

On Sunday morning at the United church there will be a special service of music, etc.

There will be a special collection to go towards the painting of the church. Everyone is asked to kindly do their part.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Angus and Miss Barrie Banks of Toronto were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Wm. Weedon.

Follow the Leader
A very small boy was trying to lead a big St. Bernard up the road.

"Where are you going to take that dog, my little man?" inquired a passerby.
"I'm going to see, where—where he wants to go first," was the breathless reply.

WESLEY Y. P. U. WINS SOFTBALL SHIELD

Misses M. and L. Richardson of Newmarket spent Sunday with their brother, Mr. W. D. Richardson.

Mrs. Corrigan and daughter, Miss Ethel Corrigan, of Hamilton, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wright.

Mr. Clarence Hughes of Toronto visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McDonald and family on Sunday.

On Tuesday night Wesley and Temperanceville softball teams played the final game at White Rose. Wesley team won and will now hold the shield for softball in Toronto centre north presbytery Young People's Union.

The ladies' aid of the Baptist church held a very successful union meeting at Mrs. Oscar Heacock's home last Wednesday afternoon.

Guests were present from King, Pottageville and Schomberg branches. Mrs. W. E. Clarkson conducted the meeting. Miss M. Shaw read the scripture lesson, followed with prayer by Rev. J. Galloway.

Mrs. P. MacDonald of Toronto was guest speaker and gave an instructive address on home missions. She said that more good could be accomplished through prayer than by any other means. Mrs. Galloway sang a very lovely solo accompanied by Mr. Galloway. After a social hour was spent a delicious supper was served out on the lawn by the Kettleby ladies.

"The problem of the new Canadian mother from Europe is greater than that of her husband and children," said Mrs. MacDonald, who is secretary of the Young Women's Mission Circles, Baptist convention of Ontario.

"The family has a greater chance to learn English than the mother, the husband at business and the children at school," she said.

The C. G. I. T. group held a picnic last Saturday afternoon in Walton's grove.

Rev. W. J. Burton and family returned last Saturday after spending a couple of weeks camping at Haliburton.

Miss Margaret Kerr of Vancouver is a guest at Mr. W. Elliott's home this week.

Mrs. Emma Rogers of Toronto is visiting Mrs. Elwood Barradell.

Mrs. A. Follitt and daughter, Ruth, of Temperanceville, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Heacock.

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ELMHURST BEACH
BEACH CORN ROAST
ATTENDED BY 3,000

Carl Anderson's seventh annual corn roast on Saturday, held on the hillside of Pine Beach, Lake Simcoe, on the highway, made a new record for itself with an attendance of approximately 3,000. Rain threatened at the outset but it just couldn't be that it would spoil this much looked forward to annual event, so the stars came out and the evening was perfect from the standpoint of the performers, those interested in the street dance and the committee in charge of boiling corn.

This latter task, by no means a small one, was taken care of by the use of several huge black cauldrons, in which the water boiled merrily over bonfires. The use of spot and colored lights and amplifiers to carry the music to all corners of the hillside, where the people sat in rows and listened to a splendid program, directed by that genial master of ceremonies, George Urquhart, well-known entertainer, who gives so much of his time and effort to the activities of Elmhurst Beach, where he has his summer residence, could only be likened to a gipsy encampment.

The program was as follows: Laurie Cormier and his band; songs by Peggy Acheson, George Aldrich, Bobby Black, Ruth Cook, Evelyn Harris, Jack Sim, Mrs. Fred Rea, Peggy Howes. Instrumental: Clare Sturdy, guitar, Audrey Dew, accordion; Postma Bros., accordion and guitar; Freddy Postma, song and guitar; Bill Dyer, mouth organ; dancers: tap dancing, Norma Boe, Doris Smith, Thelma Horsfield, Barbara Wright, Joan Benson and Marion Forber; eight-year-old Shirley Benson, acrobatic dance; Irish jig, Audrey and Mary Dew; exhibition ballroom, Jean Howes and Louise Watt. In response to insistent demands from the children present, George Urquhart sang "Icky" and "Bridget O'Flynn."

H. Mundy, hard-working president of the Elmhurst Beach Association, addressed the audience briefly. Carl Anderson also made a few remarks. Corn was then served to those present, after which street dancing continued until midnight, when the singing of the national anthem brought to a close the biggest and best corn roast yet.

Elmhurst Beach

Carl Anderson's corn roast, which was the seventh annual corn roast, was again a huge success. George Urquhart was master of ceremonies in spite of the fact that he has not been very well. Friends sincerely hope he will soon be well again. Mr. Norman Walker, who has been visiting at Elmhurst Beach, had the misfortune of breaking his collar bone.

Mr. Young of Buffalo and friend visited Mr. Young's aunt, Mrs. Chas. Hodgins, over the weekend.

Miss Ruth Mary Peters is spending a few holidays in Toronto. Dr. Wylie of Toronto has purchased a cottage from Mr. Jas. Clark at Glenwood Beach. Sherman Sedore won the cup for Elmhurst Beach in a horse shoe pitching contest. Jersey School is being re-decorated this week. Miss Ruby Fletcher and Miss Ruth Stevenson are spending a few holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Graves.

Zephyr

Miss Eileen Kester and Mrs. Storrey of Sileam spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Kester's.

Miss G. Lehman of Elmira has been visiting at the home of her cousin, Benson Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard McKeown of Toronto spent Sunday with Mrs. McKeown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Timlan Myers.

The ladies who went to Orchard Beach for a week's holidays returned to their respective homes on Sunday evening, having enjoyed their rest.

Mr. J. W. B. Rynard of Ottawa is having a two weeks' leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rynard.

Miss Olive Myers has a girl friend from Toronto with her while convalescing from a fractured foot.

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of London, Ont., were visiting at Mr. and Mrs. Byron Armstrong's. Rev. and Mrs. Ewan MacDonald of Toronto spent a day with Mr. and Mrs. R. Shier last week. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dunn and Patsy of Newmarket spent Sunday with Mrs. Dunn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Lunney. Mrs. J. H. Palmer and Joan, of Toronto, are spending a week with Mrs. Palmer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rynard. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Myers and Benson spent a few days last week with friends in Scotia Junction.

SHARON
FOUNTAIN REUNION
HELD AT SHARON

Mr. James Parker is spending a few days visiting friends at Minden.

Dr. and Mrs. D. R. Fletcher of Whitby are holidaying with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tate.

Quite a large crowd attended the Fountain reunion at Sharon park on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Black of Toronto spent Sunday with Mrs. James Parker. Mr. Jack Parker and a friend spent Monday with Mrs. Parker.

Miss Gertrude Grose is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Norman Pearson at Brampton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Quakenbush and Diane spent the weekend with Mrs. McKrill and Shirley.

Miss Blanche Hall spent the weekend at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Case and Mrs. Oliver visited Mr. and Mrs. Alan Case in Newmarket on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Brown are spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Long in Orillia.

Mr. and Mrs. Elman Glebe of Toronto spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Welly Stevens spent the weekend in Detroit, and attended the service of Rev. John Zollar while there.

Brownhill

Thrashing is in full swing in the community and harvesting is over once again.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Sedore and family spent Sunday in Toronto with Mrs. Sedore's brother, Mr. W. White.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Mapkepeace and Arthur from Warkworth have been visiting Mrs. Mapkepeace's mother, Mrs. M. Sedore, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Travis of Toronto were guests at Mr. W. King over the weekend.

A large number attended the shower at Mr. D. Green's given in honor of a bride and groom-to-be, Miss D. Sedore and Mr. Charlie Green. All reported an enjoyable evening. The bride and groom-to-be were the recipients of many lovely and useful gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Green spent Sunday in Mount Albert with Mrs. Green's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Green.

Holt

A number from this vicinity attended the East Ontario Conference of the Free Methodist church, held in Trinity United church, Newmarket, last week. Over 600 attended the Sunday morning service at which Bishop M. D. Ormston, Spring Arbor, Mich., spoke.

Several from this community attended the corn roast held at Elmhurst Beach on Saturday night.

Miss Madeline Hogg returned home Saturday after spending some time at Elgin House, Muskoka.

Mr. Alan Hopkins is building a cement block garage.

Mr. Ralph Cupples is adding a new verandah to the south of his residence.

Master Lorne Gibney is spending a week at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Wm. Wagg, Uxbridge.

Relatives from Niagara Falls spent the weekend with Rev. and Mrs. L. Slingerland.

Mr. O. J. Wilder of Beaverton is a visitor at the home of his sister, Mrs. R. N. Hoover.

Rev. C. Bull and family of Huntsville spent the weekend with Rev. and Mrs. N. F. Perry.

Miss Maud Knott spent last Wednesday with Mrs. Fred Coates.

Mrs. John Hogg, Miss Melissa Cunningham and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Gibney had tea with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Glover of Sharon on Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Nathaniel Hoover and family returned to their home in Elphin after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Hoover and attending the conference in Newmarket.

Rev. R. Burnham of Campbellford called on old friends here on Saturday.

Miss Beatrice Gibney spent Sunday at Wasaga Beach.

Mount Pleasant

Harvest is drawing near a close and some are sowing fall wheat. A great many from here attended the sale at Keswick on Saturday.

Mr. Joel Hopkins and Miss Jennie Brown spent last Sunday in Orillia.

Friends are glad to see Mrs. Geo. Moulds home again. She has spent two months with her

daughter in Markham. Mrs. Robt. Davidson spent a couple of days in the city last week.

Miss Iva Stiles spent a few days recently in Keswick with her aunt, Mrs. J. Mann.

SUTTON WEST
ELM GROVE INSTITUTE
IS NEWLY FORMED

The newly formed Elm Grove Women's Institute held its August meeting at the home of Mrs. A. Smallwood. The meeting opened by singing the Institute Ode and repeating the Institute Creed. The roll call was answered by each member giving her Christian name and where born. The minutes were read and adopted.

Miss Edith Morton gave a very interesting talk on "Handicrafts." Mr. Linstead spoke on the topic, "Peace and Education." A vote of thanks was extended to Miss Morton and Mr. Linstead by the president, followed by a hand-clap of members.

A vote of thanks was extended by Mrs. Crittenden to speakers, hostess and convenors.

The meeting closed by singing "God Save the King." The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Murray Munro on the second Wednesday in September at 2 o'clock.

SUTTON LACROSSERS
BEATEN BY 38 CHAMPS

By AUBREY TIMMINS

Mimico's lacrosse team, last year's champions, defeated the Sutton entry in the junior lacrosse game at Sutton arena on Monday before a fair crowd by an 11-5 score.

The visitors had a slight edge during most of the game due largely to their clever passing plays. The local squad is classed as a Junior "B" team, while the Mimico entry is in class "A," as a result of one of the group teams dropping out and Mimico being put in to keep the schedule intact.

In the first quarter the visitors scored on three occasions, while Sutton tallied once.

In the second quarter Sutton put on a strong offensive attack and held the visitors to one goal, while scoring once themselves. This quarter saw the teams very evenly matched.

In the third canto Mimico, with their clever passing plays, added four goals to their count. Sutton made the score sheet on one occasion.

Hibbert and Duffy carried their sticks high and finally started a fight, which soon turned into a free-for-all. Five-minute penalties were handed to Hibbert and Duffy for their part in the melee.

In the last quarter the play evened up again, with Sutton scoring twice as against three for the visiting club. The final score was Mimico 11, Sutton 5.

Sutton: 1. Fairbairn, 2. Brewer, 3. Anderson, 4. Bennett, 5. Holder, 6. Eades, 7. Pivnick, 1. Carr, 2. H. Pivnick, 3. S. Hughes, 4. K. Doyle, 5. T. Hibbard, 6. Luno.

PLEASANTVILLE
HEAR STORIES OF
HALF CENTURY AGO

Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Lundy and children, and Mr. Ira Morton visited at the latter's home at Oakwood on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Kay and children and Mrs. N. Kay and son, Lorne, had Sunday dinner at Mr. A. Hall's at Sharon.

Mrs. Harold Boyd and little son, of Sharon, spent Thursday as the guests of Mrs. Douglas McClure.

Miss Barbara Payne of Toronto was a weekend guest at the home of Mr. L. Harper.

Little Master Wesley Morton of Queensville is spending this week with his aunt, Mrs. Gordon McClure, and his cousins.

The Misses Doreen Shropshire and Ruth Turan of Newmarket spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. G. Hunt.

Mrs. Gordon McClure had her cousin, Mrs. E. Webber, of Toronto, and her sister, Mrs. A. Richardson, of Aurora, for tea on Thursday of last week.

At the Women's Institute grandmothers' meeting last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Chas. Flintoff, Newmarket, about 45 ladies were present.

After the business session, Mrs. Wesley Williams took charge. Mrs. Leonard Little rendered two lovely solos in her pleasing manner. Then a sextette of girls, including the Misses Florence Tucker, Dora McClure, Frances Stickwood, Gladys and Irene Harper and Ina Sheridan, in costume, gave the "Second Minuet."

Mrs. McLean gave a very interesting paper on current events, while Mrs. Jack Skinner's paper on 50 years ago proved very interesting, as it dealt with homes in the members' own community.

Queensville

Miss Marion Burkholder is spending this week attending the Toronto conference Young People's camp at Sparrow Lake, Port Stanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pearson spent last weekend visiting in Guelph.

Walter Richmond is busy this week moving to Keswick. Mil-

ton Lepard is also moving over to the fifth concession.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Smith, Douglas and Claire, spent Sunday in Toronto.

Summer visitors to Queensville this summer are numerous. Anyone who would like their list of visitors published is asked to please hand it to this correspondent.

KESWICK
BORN AT BELHAVEN
AUBREY DRAPER DIES

The death occurred in St. Joseph's hospital, Sudbury, on Thursday, Aug. 17, of Aubrey Nyle Draper, son of Mr. Francis Draper and the late Mrs. Draper. He had been operated on for appendicitis on Tuesday and never rallied. Aubrey was born in Belhaven on May 12, 1907, going overseas with the 257th regiment in 1918. After his return home he married Miss Wilma Rice, who predeceased him in 1930. He has been living in Coniston with his father and brother, Luther, for about 18 months. The many friends he had made in his new home were shown by the many kindnesses, etc., shown to the bereaved ones there.

A short service was held from the family residence, 41 Edward Ave., Coniston, on Friday evening, conducted by Rev. Mr. Howell of the Anglican church in Coniston.

Afterwards the body was brought to Newmarket, where on Sunday afternoon service was held at the aunt's, Mrs. Eliza Mann's residence, Queen St., conducted by Mr. Chubb of the Christian church, Newmarket. Interment was made in the family plot in Queensville cemetery.

The many beautiful floral tributes testified to the high esteem in which the deceased was held by his many friends, who will miss him for his gentleness, his dry humor and the many kindly acts performed by him. Besides his father he leaves to mourn his loss, two brothers, Luther, of Coniston, and Everett of Detroit and one sister, Marion, Mrs. Frank Hole, living in England. Sincere sympathy is extended to them all.

A strange coincidence was that he died on the same date that his mother had died eight years previously.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Draper

Free Methodists Spend 9
Hours In Church One DayMINISTERIAL APPOINTMENTS
MADE FOR COMING
YEAR

Large congregations attended the three three-hour services held by the Free Methodist conference in Trinity United church on Sunday. It is estimated that 800 people attended the evening service, which lasted from 7 until 10. The morning service was from 9 to 12.15. The afternoon service was from 2 to 4.45.

This is the first time that the Free Methodist conference has been held in Newmarket for ten years.

The 44th session of the East Ontario annual conference of the Free Methodist Church in Canada met here Aug. 16-20. Bishop M. D. Ormston of Spring Arbor, Mich., was the presiding officer.

It was a very harmonious and successful conference. The business was brought to a close about 5.30 Saturday afternoon with the reading of the appointments by the presiding officer. Large crowds attended the three services on Sunday, the large United church being filled to capacity.

Bishop Ormston preached at the morning service on the text, Luke 24:39, "Tarry ye until ye be endued with power from on high," and the congregation was greatly enlightened. The afternoon service was held under the auspices of the W. M. S. and the Haley family, missionaries on furlough from Central Africa, brought stirring appeals for prayer and money for the carrying on of their work.

The annual offering for missions was as large as usual. Rev. B. E. Stevenson, pastor last year at Odessa, preached a strong evangelistic sermon at the night service and conference was over for another year.

The appointments are as follows: Kingston district, S. B. Griffith, district elder; Kingston and Elginburgh, W. H. Gregory; Gananoque,

and the latter's mother were in Newmarket for the funeral of Mr. Aubrey Draper, Everett having motored to Coniston, bringing his father down with him.

Mr. Frank Draper and his son, Luther, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. E. Draper to Detroit for a week.

to be supplied.
Odessa, Newburgh and Yarehar, B. E. Stevenson; Harrowsmith and Holford, R. Sedore; Enterprise and Petworth, G. W. Sedore; Perth Road and Inverary, P. O. Miller. Westport and Bollingbroke, C. W. Reynolds; Verona, Oak Flats and Dey's Corners, F. A. Daw; Tichborne, Cole Lake and Parham, R. G. Babcock; Echo Lake, Wagarville, Fifth Lake and McLean, B. E. Dawson.

Mayberry, Zion and Mississippi, W. W. Simpkins; Mountain Grove, Lewis School and Brook, N. P. Hoover; Napanee and Deseronto, A. B. Moffatt; Renfrew Mission, H. D. Booth.

Peterborough district, C. W. Kay, district elder; Peterborough, Wesley Armstrong; Warkworth, Zion and Castleton, A. F. Ball; Frankford, Trenton and Conson, C. H. Bache; Campbellford and Springbrook, W. J. T. Hicks; Cordova, Victoria and Methuen, J. S. Martin.

Gunter and McCree, Claude Stephenson; Picton, Bongard and Long Point, R. Babcock; Marmora, North Marmora and Beaver Creek, N. A. Bosko; Vennachar and Denbigh, Della Potter; Fernleigh, Northbrook, Flinton and Cloyne, Dorothy M. Woolsey and Audrey Robinson, supplies.

Toronto and Muskoka districts, J. F. Gregory, district elder; Toronto First Church, R. L. Case; Toronto Second Church, F. J. Jones; Toronto, Dundas St. West, Ronald McCallum, supply.

Newmarket, R. Babcock; Uxbridge, C. R. Chatsworth; Belhaven, Batwin and Utdora, D. W. Skelding; Holt and Brownhill, N. F. Perry; Arundale, J. T. King.

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Orillia, E. J. Lee; Housey's Rapids, Barkway and Cooper's Falls, L. C. Ball; Hillsdale and Brown Hill, Frank Loft; Barrie, R. S. Warren, supply; Midland and Wyevalle, to be supplied; Goldlands, Elmer and Grace Goheen, supplies.

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MOUNT ALBERT FOUR GENERATIONS JOIN CELEBRATION OF 80TH BIRTHDAY

"I feel just as well as if I were thirty," Mrs. Martha Blanche Rear, Mount Albert, told The Era reporter who visited her on her eightieth birthday on Saturday.

Children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren gathered in Mount Albert on Saturday to honor the occasion. Other members of the family include two daughters, Mrs. Ira Morton, Mount Albert, and Miss Myrtle Rear, Toronto; a sister, Miss Lillian McKeown, Toronto; three grandsons, Charles and William Morton of Mount Albert and Howard Morton, of Aurora.

There are five great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Rear's parents farmed in Markham before coming to Mount Albert, and Mount Albert is largely built up on land purchased for one dollar an acre by a brother who came out from England.

She remembers when Mount Albert had only one street, and when everything for the home

had to be brought from Newmarket. Before her marriage in 1879, Mrs. Rear was Martha Blanche McKeown.

Mount Albert

Mr. and Mrs. Sault, Ronald and Florence, of Acton, were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. Sault's cousin, Mr. H. Leadbetter.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Wrightman, Marilyn, Miss Verna Pearson, Mrs. W. R. Steeper, and Mrs. Maxwell, of Markham, motored to New Liskeard on Thursday last to take back to her home Mrs. S. Jewell, who has been in old Ontario for the last three months.

After a long illness, Charles Brooks passed away at his home on Friday of last week. A very quiet, kindly neighbor and friend to all, Mr. Brooks leaves behind an example of a life well spent, one which no one could say anything but good of.

Mr. Brooks was married twice, first to Mary A. Graham, the mother of his only child, Mrs. E. Quibell, and his second marriage was to Miss Violet Oldham, who survives him. He also had one brother, Ernest Brooks, of New-

market, who is the last of a large family of Brooks boys who all lived in this community.

The funeral of Mr. Brooks was held on Monday from his home with the service conducted by Rev. R. V. Wilson. The burial took place in Mount Albert cemetery.

The Mount Albert Horticultural Society has its prize list out for the annual flower show next Thursday, Aug. 31, in the town hall. There are a number of beautiful prizes displayed in Steeper's store window, and there will be lunch served in connection with the show.

Mr. David Brooks of Port Carling was in town this week for the funeral of his uncle, Mr. Chas. Brooks.

Miss Iola Campbell had a miscellaneous shower on Monday evening for Miss Edna Dike, a bride of this week.

Mrs. Ernest Griffith and family, of Peterboro, have been visiting at the home of her father, Mr. Geo. Scott.

Miss G. Moore of Toronto and Miss M. Moore of Winnipeg are spending their holidays at the home of their mother, Mrs. J. Moore.

Mrs. M. Kerr of South Bend, Indiana, was a guest at the home of Mrs. H. Pearson this week.

The Women's Institute meets this month at the home of Mrs. Fred Johnson. The motto for the month is: "To have what we want is riches, but to be able to do without is power." The roll call is to be answered by "Do's and Don'ts for Institute members." The program committee is Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Putnam. Everybody is welcome and asked to come and enjoy a pleasant afternoon.

SIX NEPHEWS ACT AS PALLBEARERS

The death occurred of Charles Brooks of Mount Albert, at his home on Friday, after an illness lasting two years.

Mr. Brooks was a contractor. He was a member of the United church. Mr. Brooks was born in Mount Albert 76 years ago.

Surviving are his widow, one daughter, Mrs. Everton Quibell of Mount Albert and one brother, Ernest Brooks of Newmarket.

The service was conducted by Rev. R. V. Wilson. Interment was made in Mount Albert cemetery.

The pallbearers were six nephews of the deceased, David Brooks, Wesley Brooks, Norman Brooks, Frank Brooks, Guernsey Brooks and Walter Rear.

SUTTON WEST TRAPPED IN STORE, MAN IS CHARGED

A 24-year-old man giving his name as Jas. Cousins was arrested and charged with shop-breaking and car theft at Sutton, after he had allegedly ransacked a drug store owned by M. O. Tremayne and taken more than \$200 worth of goods, early Saturday morning.

A second man seated in a car outside the store escaped into the swamp east of Sutton. Informed of the presence of the two men by Art Pugsley of Sutton, who was opening his father's store on the other side of the street, Constable Wm. Hill was able to trap the intruder in the store, while Constable "Sandy" McCallum pursued his companion, who dashed from the car and escaped.

FLORA HUNTER HAS GARDEN WEDDING

A charming garden wedding took place on Wednesday of last week, when Flora May Hunter, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hunter of King, became the bride of John Albert Hill, son of Mrs. Albert Hill and the late Mr. Hill of Rydal Bank, Ont.

Rev. Douglas Davis of King performed the ceremony. The bride's sister, Miss Helen Hunter, played the wedding music, and during the signing of the register song, with Mrs. Earle Scott, another sister, "O Father All Creating."

The bride looked lovely in a gown of hyacinth white triple sheer, with a white French straw hat and white accessories. She carried roses and blue cornflowers.

The bride's attendants were three little nieces, Mary Scott, in blush pink taffeta, was flower

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GEORGE MUIR MISSED BY MANY

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to say, of the Reform party's treatment of Erastus Jackson and his own father.

Alexander Muir left Newmarket in January, 1876, to teach in Beaverton.

In the meantime, on May 5, 1875, George Muir, a boy of 15, entered Erastus Jackson's printing-office as an apprentice. He started as a printer's devil at a very meagre wage and completed a five-year apprenticeship.

Always interested in drawing and art, Mr. Muir began to make wood type and cuts. The Era still has full fonts of wood type designed and cut by Mr. Muir.

Some time after the completion of his apprenticeship, he spent two years in northern Michigan as a lumberman. He then returned to Newmarket and The Era as composing-room foreman.

Mr. Muir served as foreman under both Erastus Jackson and under his son, Lyman Jackson, who took over the management in the eighties.

In 1883 Mr. Muir married Mary Elizabeth ("Minnie") Ough, daughter of William Ough, Aurora.

Mr. Muir remained with The Era until after the sale of the business to Arthur Hawkes in 1931. Mr. Muir often recalled that Lyman Jackson wouldn't sell the business to him because he was a Conservative. In view of the depression which followed, he would add, he was glad that he didn't make the purchase.

Although a Conservative in name, Mr. Muir used to say that in theory he was a socialist. It was typical of Mr. Muir that he did his own thinking.

Having both mechanical and artistic aptitudes, Mr. Muir was ideally equipped for the printing trade. During his years as foreman of The Era composing-room he trained many printers now holding high positions in the trade and in other fields. Every summer former "students" of Mr. Muir's have called at The Era office to recall their apprenticeship days and to ask how they could get in touch with Mr. Muir.

Mr. Muir never lost his love for the old office and dropped in two or three times a week, sometimes oftener. He actually set type and helped out in the office as recently as the fall of 1934 during a by-election rush. Frequently he brought in news items concerning his many friends and acquaintances, for he never lost his interest in others.

Mr. Muir was exceptionally vigorous and active for his years. He was an ardent gardener, working for long hours in his large garden behind The Era office every day during the earlier part of the summer and finding time to do more than a little hoeing in his neighbor's garden when he saw the weeds getting the upper hand.

Looking for even more work, this spring he secured permission from the owner to clean up a neighboring overgrown lot and, digging out all the roots and sods by hand, planted still another garden. There was no limit to his energy.

He was generous too. In recent weeks he had been digging potatoes from his garden, not only for his own use but for his neighbor whose garden was a little more backward. There was nothing he couldn't or wouldn't do to help a neighbor.

People often admired the painting by Mr. Muir which hangs in The Era office. Strangers sometimes commented on it and asked who was the painter. He had many more at home, and there were others in the possession of members of his family.

He was always interested in drawing and art. The late Edgar Bogart, who had been stationed at Kingston in the service of the Ontario Bank, met there the once well-known Canadian painter, Coutts, and later, when Coutts was living in Toronto, arranged an introduction and suggested that Mr. Muir take lessons from him. This Mr. Muir did, travelling back and forth between Newmarket and the city.

Painting became his principal avocation, and recently he was engaged in painting for each of his children and grandchildren a picture of the boyhood log home in Scarborough of his father, Alexander Muir. He had several of these paintings completed, but the ambitious project remains unfinished.

Another of his great interests was the Masonic order. He joined Tuscan lodge A. F. & A. M. in 1910 and in 1916 was master of the lodge. In recent years he was made Grand Organist in the Grand Lodge of Canada in the province of Ontario. Of this honor he was justly proud. He was a faithful attendant at all lodge meetings and Masonic events.

He was a Presbyterian, but his wife was a Methodist, and his children were brought up in Trinity Methodist church.

GIVES LIFE FOR YOUNGER BROTHER

David King of East York, 19, died a hero's death in Lake Simcoe, near Pine Beach, on Saturday, when he was successful in saving his younger brother, Jim, 13, who was unable to swim, but himself sank exhausted, as rescuers arrived.

The accident occurred about 200 yards from shore, when the younger boy, thinking the water shallow, had jumped from a boat. David jumped in after him and held him up until help arrived.

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HAVE BEEN OLDEST COUPLE THREE TIMES

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. MacMurchy of King won the prize for the oldest married couple for the third consecutive year, at the Laskay old boys' reunion on Saturday, when over 1,000 attended.

First prize for the largest family on the grounds was won by Leonard Robb of King, with a family of nine present, while Del Paton of Laskay won a suckling pig for cutting a log in 35 seconds in a buzz-sawing contest.

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